

THE RIGHT HON. H. H. ASQUITH.

The New Prime Minister of Great Britain, Who To-day Takes Over the Helm of Empire Rendered Vacant by the Resignation of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.

GREAT BRITAIN'S NEW PREMIER

APPOINTMENT OF RT. HON. H. H. ASQUITH

King Edward Signifies His Will at Biarritz To-day.

London, April 8.—The vacancy in the office of Prime Minister of Great Britain, by the resignation last Sunday of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman on account of ill-health, was filled this morning at Biarritz, France, during the audience between King Edward and the Right Hon. Herbert Asquith, who had been summoned from London.

New Premier's Career.

Mr. Asquith is one of the greatest debaters in the Liberal party. His keen and merciless replies to the Protectionist orations of Mr. Chamberlain have done more to discredit the cause of "Tariff Reform" than any other influence. They revealed not only the finest intellectual gifts, but broad sympathies and lofty ideals. In the debates on the Education Bill, Mr. Asquith gave a statesmanlike lead to his party, putting the objections to the measure on the highest grounds of principle and of the public weal.

Born in 1852, Mr. Asquith has reached the summit of a politician's ambition at the age of 56. He comes of an old Yorkshire manufacturing family near Huddersfield. He went to the City of London school, where he was recognized as an intellectual giant. He was captain of the school, and the first to win for it the high distinction of the Balliol scholarship. At Oxford he was a brilliant success. After serving in only one parliament—that of 1885—Mr. Asquith was selected by Mr. Gladstone in 1892 as Home Secretary, a bold step, which surprised the country, but more than justified itself. For during his three short years of office the new Secretary of State showed that an enormous amount of work could be done administratively without calling in the aid of legislation. Sweating, child-labor, factory inspection, appointment of women inspectors, regulation of dangerous trades, were all dealt with by Home Office rules. He brought in an Employers' Liability Bill, which was wrecked by the Lords; a Truck Act Amendment Bill, which dropped with the defeat of the government; and a new Factory Act, which passed into law.

He took office as Chancellor of the Exchequer in the present government in 1905.

TACOMA'S NEW MAYOR.

Republicans Carry Every Ward in City of Destiny.

(Special to the Times).
Tacoma, April 8.—Judge John Link was elected mayor over George P. Wright, incumbent, by a majority of about two thousand. Republicans carried every ward.

NEVADA COMSTOCKS' EXPOSE.

'Frisco Press Accuses Famous Company of Being Run on Bogus Lines.

(Special to the Times).
Frisco, April 8.—A great expose is being made by the press of 'Frisco and Nevada on the manipulation of the famous Nevada Comstocks which have produced six hundred million dollars, but which is now in the hands of an inside ring, which assumes to pay fat salaries but does little mining. This is what the charges say.

DROWN IN ARTESIAN SPRING.

Winnipeg City Employees Meet Sad Fate While Digging.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, April 8.—Two employees of the city were drowned this morning while digging a new artesian spring well for the waterworks. A sudden rush of water from the new spring was the cause of the accident.

MRS. VICARS DEAD.

Carrington, Ont., April 8.—Mrs. Vicars, wife of Rev. John Vicars, and mother of William Vicars, of Qu'Appelle, died this morning after a brief illness.

CLASS SUSPENDED FOR HAZING YOUTH

Three Days' Penalty for New York University Students.

New York, April 8.—The entire junior class of New York university was suspended from the university for three days by the Faculty to-day as a penalty for the hazing of Henry Bloch, a freshman student.

The announcement of the Faculty's action was made after the chapel service to-day. Bloch was on the campus and met the suspended juniors as they were leaving the chapel. There was another altercation between him and some of the juniors, and Bloch was knocked down. Cooler members of the class interfered and prevented further trouble.

The affair had its origin in Bloch's refusal to obey certain rules made by the upper classes for the recognition of freshmen. In punishment he was being leaving the chapel. There was another altercation between him and some of the juniors, and Bloch was knocked down. Cooler members of the class interfered and prevented further trouble.

GIFT FOR NEW YORK Y. M. C. A.

London, April 8.—At a meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association in Queen's hall last night, Ambassador Balfour, on behalf of the donors of the headquarters building in New York, accepted a bust by Frampton of the late Sir George Williams, the founder of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Balfour said that the gift would be appreciated warmly and sympathetically.

ST. LAWRENCE OPEN.

Watertown, N. Y., April 8.—Navigation on the upper St. Lawrence was opened to-day when steamers crossed from Kingston, Ontario to Cape Vincent and the government steamer Scout made the trip from Prescott to Kingston.

NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.

Albany, N. Y., April 8.—The assembly to-day concurred in the Senate's action yesterday fixing Thursday, April 23rd, as the date for the final adjournment of the present session of the legislature.

"EMMA" IS RELEASED. Queen of Anarchy Allowed to Re-enter United States.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, April 8.—Emma Goldman, the anarchist, who was put off the train by the United States authorities on Monday night when crossing the border at Emerson as an undesirable citizen, was allowed to go through to-night. She produced her husband's papers that he was an United States citizen. There was no interference. She has been delivering a week's lectures here.

ECHO OF MURDER THREE YEARS OLD

ACCUSED ACQUITTED OF GRAND ANSE CRIME

Law Now Says Wallace McGraw Did Not Kill Percy Selater.

(Special to the Times).

Three Rivers, April 8.—Wallace McGraw, accused of the murder of Percy Selater, at Grand Anse, on March 5, 1905, has been acquitted. Selater, in his youth, came out from England as an apprentice of the Hudson Bay Company, and later was married to a daughter of one of the Hudson Bay Company's directors. Selater purchased a farm at Grand Anse where he lived until the time of his death. His farm served as a stopping place for Portuguese and others on their way up to Red River and LaTouche.

Selater's place had borne rather an unsavory reputation. Selater on Sunday morning March 5, 1905 was found dead in a barn with a bullet wound in him. Wallace McGraw, who was employed on the farm was arrested along with the wife of the murdered man, both being charged with the crime, it being believed Selater got out of the way in order that McGraw could marry Mrs. Selater.

Mrs. Selater was subsequently tried and acquitted. McGraw later being convicted. His counsel appealed for a new trial on a technicality and the plea was granted, the result being an acquittal.

LIGHTWEIGHT BREAD.

Hamilton, April 8.—The police yesterday raided Springfield's bakery shop, King street west, and seized nearly 20 loaves of bread. It is charged that Springfield sold lightweight bread, customers having complained to the police. A summons will be issued.

FARMER'S SUICIDE.

(Special to the Times).
Deloraine, April 8.—Alex. Kirkwood, a farmer, retired, has committed suicide. He was well off financially. A revolver was found at his side.

EXPLOSION WRECKS HAVOC.

Brantford, Ont., April 8.—Windows were broken, floors torn up and walls forced out of place by an explosion of natural gas at an unoccupied house at St. Murray street yesterday afternoon. A man who was installing electric wiring struck a match to light his torch, and the explosion followed.

EFFORTS TO SOLVE MACEDONIA CRUX

Great Britain and Russia Exchange Proposals—Compromise May Emerge.

London, April 8.—A parliamentary paper just issued giving the latest correspondence between Russia and Great Britain on the matter of Macedonian reforms is welcomed by the London newspapers as containing at least a prospect of arriving at a satisfactory compromise.

Russia accepts the proposals of Sir Edward Grey, the secretary for foreign affairs, as "a basis for discussion," and presents her counter proposals. To these Sir Edward Grey has replied in a friendly spirit, making fresh suggestions in detail.

STARTLING FIGURES.

Statistics Show Italians Are More Desirable Immigrants Than British.

Toronto, April 8.—Dr. Bryce, Dominion inspector of immigration, is making an investigation of the statement contained in an Ottawa paper that of 220 Italian immigrants committed to Toronto asylum last year 130 were foreign born, and a majority of these recent arrivals.

Dr. Bryce makes the statement that one out of every 40 immigrants of British birth are deported for some reason, while only one Italian is deported in every 10,000. Last year, he says, 115 persons were deported out of the many thousands that came to Canada.

C. N. R. IMPROVEMENTS.

Winnipeg, April 8.—D. R. Hanna, vice-president of the Canadian Northern, left for the East last night. He states that his company contemplates many improvements in the system this year, including the relaying of the main line from Winnipeg to Port Arthur with eighty-pound steel.

WILL DISCUSS MONEY BY-LAWS

PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY

Citizens Will Be Given Opportunity of Getting Information on Question.

A week from to-morrow the rate-payers of the city will vote on the four money by-laws which the council is submitting for approval, and in order that the measures may be explained to the people a public meeting will be held in the city hall Tuesday evening, when members of the council will be present to explain the three civic measures, while the trustees will be on hand to explain the necessity for the passage of the by-law for school purposes.

The four by-laws represent a total of \$210,000, of which \$70,000 is for the installation of a salt water high pressure system for fire protection, \$70,000 for the purchase of a site and erection on it of a new school in the northern portion of the city and purchase of a site for a new school in the southern portion of the city; \$50,000 is for sewer construction and \$20,000 is for additional fire equipment.

Mayor Hall, discussing the three measures which the city is submitting on its own initiative, said that in his opinion all should pass. It was especially desirable that the measure for the raising of the \$70,000 for the salt water system should receive the endorsement of the people, for the installation of such a system would benefit every property owner in the city. While it was planned to serve only the business portion of the city with this system, still it would also mean protection for the whole city. For example, if a fire should break out in the outlying portion of the city at the same time as one in the district served by the salt water system, the water from the latter could be used, leaving the fresh water free for fighting the conflagration in the outlying district. The cost per year of the system would be comparatively small, and would in any case be much more than met in the reduction of insurance rates pressed. By all means this by-law should be passed by the people.

As to the sewer by-law he could not see how any one could vote against it. The by-law, if passed, would not increase the city's debt one cent, for all charges would be met out of the sewer rentals from properties past which pipes would be laid with the money thus raised. It was necessary to raise this money to complete the sewerage system of the city, a thing that it was essential to the health of the city should be done at once. All the money already voted for this purpose had been expended, and if more money were not forthcoming through a favorable verdict by the people on the measure now being submitted the work of sewer construction would have to close down until such time as the ratepayers saw fit to vote the funds required for the undertaking. Any delay in the matter would, he considered, be highly inimical to the interests of the city.

As for the by-law for additional fire equipment, the experience at the big fire of last July, he thought, should put the people in a position to judge as to whether it was required.

The submission of the by-law to raise money for a new school in the northern portion of the city and for the purchase of a site in the southern portion of the city, it may be said, is due to the rapid increase in the city's population by the past year or so, and to the fact that the day of usefulness of the Hillside school has passed. Following the erection of the new school this building will be abandoned, while some relief will be afforded from the congestion at present existing in the other schools.

G. T. Freight Train Badly Wrecked

(Special to the Times).
Montreal, April 8.—Spreading rails caused a wreck on the Grand Trunk at St. Hubert. Nineteen cars of export freight for Portland were badly smashed. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

BAN ON JAPANESE GOODS EXTENDING

Chinese Merchants Guild Notifies Agents Not to Place Orders.

Hongkong, April 8.—The Chinese merchants Guild has decided to notify its agents at Japanese ports not to place any more orders of Japanese goods and to ship goods already ordered in vessels other than Japanese. Dealers in Chinese piece goods are joining in the boycott against the Japanese which arose as a result of the Tatsu Maru incident.

FALLS TO HIS DEATH.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, April 8.—H. McNutt, a C. N. R. brakeman, fell from the Beaudett bridge to his death yesterday. His age was 28, and he was recently married.

AGED JOURNALIST DIES.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, Man., April 8.—Geo. E. Murphy, a pioneer journalist, engaged in work on Brandon and Portage la Prairie papers, died at Rapid City suddenly. His age was 71.

DRAWN BATTLE IN LIQUOR CONTEST

ILLINOIS CITIES RALLY ROUND SALOON INTERESTS

Majority of Townships Vote "Dry"—Prohibitionists Express Satisfaction.

Chicago, Ill., April 8.—The liquor contest in Illinois has resulted in a drawn battle, with the saloon interest winning decisively in most of the larger cities, but losing in scores of smaller ones, 1014 saloons being voted out of existence.

The returns as collected by townships are even more impressive from the prohibition viewpoint. Eight hundred and twenty-eight townships or more than three-fourths of the total number are closed to the saloons, only by winning the larger cities did the liquor interests save themselves from a complete rout.

While the "Grog shop" was not an economic asset in the city government, the prohibitionists had a decided advantage. Where financial questions entered largely, they lost. Although they did not chase "The Demon rum" from the state, they profess satisfaction with the results.

Returns from the 1200 townships of the state are incomplete and it is not possible to state with exactness how many saloons will close their doors 30 days hence, as a result of yesterday's balloting. The figures available place the number at over 1,000, being for the most part in townships which had from five to twenty-five saloons each.

Colorado's Verdict.
Denver, Col., April 8.—Thirty-five towns in Colorado, in which elections were held yesterday, voted on the question of local option. Nineteen of these elections resulted in no licence and 16 voted to licence saloons. The anti-saloon element won over four towns that were formerly "wet," and the liquor element made gains of five towns, giving them the advantage of one in the total of changes.

CAPTURES HORSE THIEF.

Man Who Made Daring Escape From Train Is Retaken.

(Special to the Times).
Lethbridge, April 8.—Sergeant Egan, of the mounted police, has captured Fred Wheatley at Connor's ranch, near St. Mary's. Wheatley was a noted Oregon horse thief and escaped from custody last fall while being taken to his trial, jumping from a car window, though being handcuffed. He admits he is the man wanted.

TWENTY THOUSAND FOR LOSING LEG

Law Deals With Negligence in New York State.

New York, April 8.—The first judgment under the law passed by the legislature in May of 1906, making railway companies responsible for injuries, has been awarded in the Supreme court, John Toner getting a verdict of \$20,000 for the loss of his leg in July, 1906.

Toner was a motorman employed by the New York City Railway Company. The motorman of the car behind, started his car, crashing into Toner's car and crushing the plaintiff's leg so badly that it had to be amputated.

REPUBLICAN TRIUMPH.

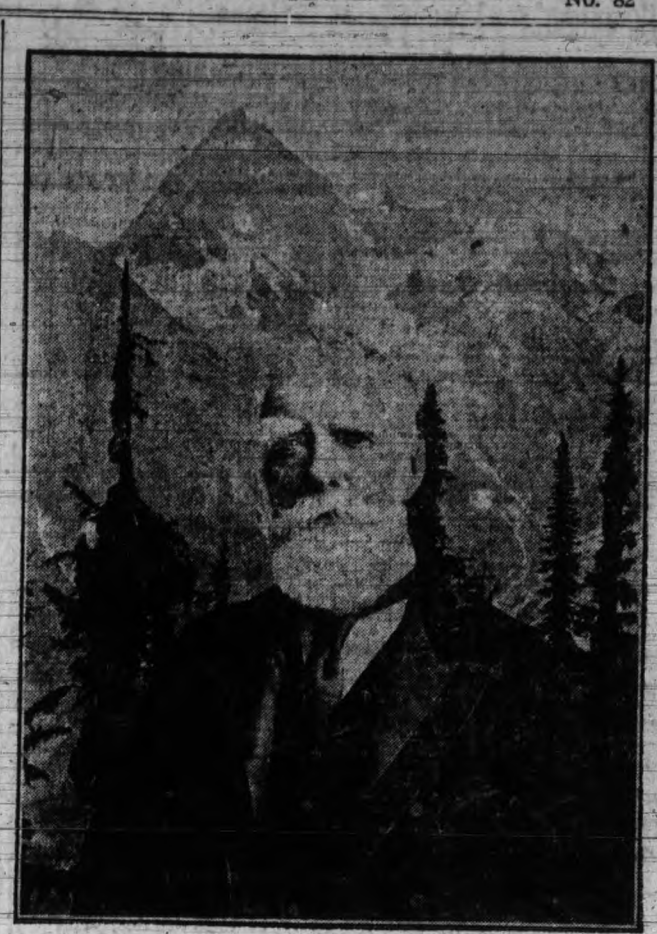
Chicago Civic Elections Give Mayor Busse a Big Majority.

Chicago, Ill., April 8.—Thirty-five aldermen were elected in Chicago yesterday and the number, 24 were Republicans. One of these ran as an independent, but he nevertheless is a Republican.

Mayor Busse will enter on the duty of his term with a larger party majority back of him than any mayor has had for the last 30 years.

FLASH SUSPECTS.

Calgary, April 8.—Detective Hardie and P. C. Campbell have arrested Jasper E. Curtis and C. A. Mason as suspects in connection with the safe-cracking at the Alberta steam laundry.



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LORD STRATHCONA.

Canada's "Grand Old Man," Whose Faith in the Ultimate Accomplishment of the "All Red Route" is Undaunted.

SATURDAY'S SOCCER GAME.

New Rate Over E. & N. Will Prevent Many Coming to Victoria.

(Special to the Times).

Nanaimo, April 8.—If the E. & N. puts the regular rate in force on Saturday as it has been intimated that it will, it is likely that the great crowd that was to attend the soccer match in Victoria on Saturday between Lady-smith and Nanaimo will be considerably thinned out. With so many desirous of attending it was hoped that a cheaper rate would have been put in force.

EX-PREMIER'S ILLNESS.

London, April 8.—The bulletin issued this morning regarding the condition of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman says that the former premier passed a good night with a fair amount of sleep. He continued, however, to suffer from weakness.

TWO BROTHERS DIE IN TENEMENT FIRE

One Horribly Burned, While Other Succumbs to Suffocation.

Pasadena, N. Y., April 8.—Two brothers lost their lives early to-day in a tenement house fire which destroyed the building and seriously endangered eight families. The tenement house stood near the Erie railroad tracks and the fire was discovered by an engineer of a passing train who sounded the alarm.

When the firemen dashed into the house they stumbled over a body at the foot of the stairs. It was the body of William Campbell who had died from suffocation. A little further on in the house they found the body of Alex. Campbell burned terribly.

PROTEST AGAINST TAFT.

U. S. Negro Population Resent Proposed Nomination of War Secretary For Presidency.

Philadelphia, April 8.—A convention of negroes from various sections of the country was held here last night for the purpose of taking concerted action. It was stated, to protest against the nomination of Secretary W. H. Taft, for the presidency, and to petition the senate to pass the Foraker bill to restore the negro soldiers of the United States infantry, who were dismissed from the service following the shooting up of Brownsville. Twenty-seven states were represented by 200 delegates.

NEGRO BOY CONDEMNED.

Tecumseh, Okla., April 8.—Will Johnson, a negro boy who assaulted and killed Mrs. Mary Cuddy, an aged white woman, near Shawnee, several weeks ago, was yesterday sentenced to be hanged in a verdict of guilty, and the jury added the death penalty. This is the first legal death sentence to be assessed in Oklahoma since it became a state. Johnson maintained his innocence until the prosecutor made his statement, when he jumped to his feet and declared himself guilty.

SLAUGHTER OF DEER.

(Special to the Times).
S. B. Marie, April 8.—Reports from various parts of Algoma say that deer are being slaughtered by the hundred by wolves.

WHITE STAR MAY PLY TO CANADA

RUMORED ORDER FOR 24-KNOT LINER

Circumstances Point to "All Red Route" Scheme Going Through.

Liverpool, April 8.—Great interest has been aroused here by the report that the White Star Steamship Company contemplates inaugurating a service from Liverpool to Montreal, for which it will place an order for four big 24 knot liners with the ship-building firm of Harland & Wolff. It is said the service will be conducted in conjunction with the Dominion line and the Grand Trunk railroad.

The White Star officials here refuse to either confirm or deny the story.

Hopes For All Red Route.

Montreal, April 8.—A London special cable says: It is most politicians seem to expect, Mr. Lloyd-George becomes chancellor of the exchequer, the chances of the "All Red" proposal should be greatly strengthened, for Mr. Lloyd-George has been throughout its warmest advocate in the cabinet. It is understood that it was chiefly on his initiative that Sir Wilfrid Laurier made his proposals to the imperial conference.

A committee of the cabinet is getting fresh estimates, from which it is inferred that the cost to the British exchequer will be less than was first contemplated.

Lord Strathcona's faith in the scheme is undaunted, though it is suggestive that he no longer speaks of an independent company as necessary. He sees no reason why existing companies, such as the Canadian Pacific and the Allans, should not combine to earn the new subsidies, providing a 25-knot service on the Atlantic and a new 19-knot service on the Pacific.

TO EDIT MINING REPORTS.

(Special to the Times).
Ottawa, April 8.—F. J. Nicholas, editor of the Mining Reports of the Geological Survey, was retired yesterday from the service, and Samuel Graves of Montreal, a mining engineer, and for a time editor of the Mining Journal, has been appointed in his place.

ATTEMPTS TRIPLE CRIME.

New Yorker Shoots Wife and Daughter, Then Commits Suicide.

New York, April 8.—Robert Trubendach, who after shooting his wife and daughter in their home in East 24th street last night, put a bullet into his own head, died in a hospital to-day. The wife and daughter are in a serious condition, but it is believed they will recover.

WESTWARD HO!

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, April 8.—Three thousand settlers are on their way from Montreal to this city, destined to Western Canada and British Columbia points.

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LIBERALS HELD AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

Confidence Expressed in Hon. William Templeman and Party Leaders.

The Liberal Association held a very enthusiastic meeting last evening in their rooms. The principal business of the meeting was for the purpose of making nominations preparatory to the election which is to be held on the last Wednesday of this month. The meeting was the largest nomination gathering that has been held in the history of the association and showed that the greatest interest is being taken in public affairs. A feature of the attendance was the fact that there were in addition to the members of longer standing a large number of new arrivals in the city who manifested deep interest in the proceedings.

After nominations had been made questions affecting the association were discussed. It was decided to have a discussion of some of the public issues at the next meeting and a committee was appointed to arrange for this.

Resolutions of confidence were passed in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's government, Hon. Wm. Templeman and J. A. Macdonald, leader of the Liberals in the local house, and his followers.

PANIC FOLLOWS BLACKHAND RUMOR

Two Children Injured in Rush From School, Said to Be Doomed.

Newark, N. J., April 8.—A rumor that the big public school in the Italian section was to be blown up by blackhand blackmailers in revenge for the failure of the pupils' parents to pay tribute, resulted in a panic to-day in which two children were injured, and it became necessary to close the school for the day before the trouble was ended.

The school was in session when a great throng of excited women gathered in front of the closed gates, demanding that their children be sent from the building at once. The principal telephoned for police assistance, but before the help arrived the women had broken down the gates and forced their way into the building. They made their way upstairs, screaming and calling for their children. Their cries so excited the pupils that they got entirely beyond control of the teachers and ran into the hallways. In the scramble down the stairs a number of the little ones were trampled upon, and two were seriously injured. When the police arrived order was quickly restored and the building was closed for the day. The police say there is no basis for the reports of a blackhand threat.

CONSULTED LAW BOOK, THEN SHOT POLICE

Mad Irishman Who Defied Montreal Force is Ex-Constable.

Montreal, April 8.—An examination by the police of the papers of Joseph Smith, the man who held the police at bay for five hours, killed Constable Shea and wounded Chief Detective Carpenter and Constable Foscutt, and who was himself wounded by the police, show that his right name is John Dillon, and that he is a native of Ireland. He served several years in the Royal Irish Constabulary and afterwards in the Cheshire, England, constabulary. While on the latter force he shot a burglar who was resisting arrest, but was discharged by the court, which held the shooting justified.

Soon after Dillon crossed the ocean, and coming to New York in October, 1888, was declared a citizen of the United States. In New York he was apparently employed as a book agent. Later he went to Boston, and from that city appears to have come to Montreal, for some reason changing his name to Smith.

The two wounded officers and the prisoner will all recover. One of the papers found in Dillon's room was in the handwriting of the prisoner and contained a digest of the English criminal law regarding the right to take a life in self-defence, taken from the charge delivery by Mr. Justice Stephen, at Birkenhead, when Dillon was discharged for shooting the burglar mentioned above. Annotations on the document show that during the time Dillon was holding out against the police he got this document out and consulted it.

TERCENTENARY STAMPS.

(Special to the Times).
Ottawa, April 8.—The Postmaster-General in reply to a question in the House, said that it was the intention of the Post Office Department on the occasion of the three hundredth anniversary of the foundation of Quebec to issue a new series of postage stamps.

IMMIGRANT'S SAD FATE.

London, Ont., April 8.—Perry Hinton, who came to Canada from Wales two years ago, is dead as the result of injuries received by a fall from an apple tree on a farm near Galtmire a few days after his arrival. He had been in the hospital ever since.

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BIG SHUFFLE IN BRITISH CABINET

"WINSTON" MAY BECOME SECRETARY OF WAR

R. B. Haldane is Named for Lord High Chancellorship.

London, April 8.—It is officially announced that King Edward will leave Biarritz on April 16th in order to hold a privy council in London on the 16th. The new ministers probably will have their first audience on this occasion. It is understood that Mr. Asquith, the new premier, was able to submit a list of his main appointments to his Majesty this morning. Mr. Asquith is expected in London to-morrow, when he will complete his ministry.

The latest information in well-informed circles points to the strong possibility of the retirement of Lord Loreburn, lord high chancellor, who, it is understood, does not stand very high in the estimation of Mr. Asquith, and the appointment of R. B. Haldane, secretary of state for war, to this post, with the peerage attached. It is known that Mr. Haldane is ready to leave the war office. He would have liked to have become chancellor of the exchequer, but it is apparent that David Lloyd-George, president of the board of trade, has the keys to that office in his pocket.

In the event of Mr. Haldane going to the Upper House, Winston Churchill, under secretary of the colonial office, will most likely get the war office, which would be much more congenial to him than the board of trade.

C. P. R. Wanted to Bring in Japs

(Special to the Times).
Ottawa, April 8.—In committee on Hon. F. Oliver's bill making immigrants come direct, which was strongly supported by British Columbia members, Hon. R. Lemieux said that Japan was keeping the arrangements he had made with her. The C. P. R. had asked for the privilege of getting 100 Japs into British Columbia but Japan had refused passports for them. Canada was not. They did not come (Cheers).

What Other People Think

INFORMATION WANTED.

To the Editor:—Have the people of Canada the right to make their own laws and enforce them? And has any province the right to annul or abolish the laws made in Canada? If they have that right, then has any province or person a right to violate any or any of those laws with impunity? Can a province, by two successive sessions of the parliament of a province annul that vested right at a subsequent session of the same parliament in favor of another corporation?

The above is exactly what happened at the last session of parliament at Victoria, B. C., and our so-called public press is as silent as a clam at high water on these very important matters, and as it is now public property that the C. P. R. Company and the Wellington Coal Company, and the Honorable James is that company, contracted with a certain Japanese Emigration Company in Vancouver to furnish them with cheap labor from Japan, and that the said Japanese Company did furnish the said labor, and that the labor so contracted for, and forthwith there was a great breaking of glass and burning of straw men by our intelligent and law-abiding workmen, and our law makers discharged a great amount of superfluous gas over the event, even into Ottawa. But not one word was said by either party about the law that was being violated or about the contract entered into by our provincial Premier with the Salvation Emigration Co. that have already delivered some of the goods. What the people wish to know is, who, if any, have the right to enforce the laws, or are the laws to be respected only by the industrial class?

OBSEVER.

P.S.—In referring to the Port Townsend article on law and order, it is true what they say, that the undesirables get what is coming to them. It is the same on both sides of the border with that class. But the influential criminal class with the political pull on this side go unwhipped of justice even more so than on the other side of the border.—O.
Victoria, April 8.

LONDON OUTLOOK.

The improvement which has taken place in the monetary situation since the beginning of the year cannot be ignored, says the Daily Report of London. It is not simply that the bank rate is now 3 per cent. against 7 per cent., but the downward movement is justified by the fact that the position of the Bank of England, as regards its stock of coin and bullion, is the best for nearly ten years. It does not, of course, follow that the stronger position of the bank necessarily indicates a vast addition to the accumulation of money in the hands of the public, but given the continuance of the present easy money rates, and, as the city editor of the Standard suggests, the fact that the bank is almost bound to be felt sooner or later by high-class investment stocks. Conditions in the House itself seem sound enough, but, in connection with the disclosed and reported difficulties in the shipping and some other industries, forced sales of securities appear to have taken place, and are, perhaps, still proceeding. These, however, may fairly be regarded as passing phases incidental to the set-back in trade, and in no way disproving the general downward tendency in the value of money and an upward tendency in the value of stocks.

DISTRACTED LISBON
QUIETING DOWN

City Still Under Martial Law—Sweeping Victory of Royalists.

Lisbon, April 8.—The situation in Lisbon has been improved. There has been no resumption of the election rioting and this morning the shops reopened. Lisbon is virtually under martial law and with the arrival of reinforcements the military government is in absolute control of the city. The Republican leaders disclaim responsibility for the disorder and bloodshed of Sunday and Monday.

The general opinion is that the royalists have gained a sweeping victory at the polls.

SUING DOCTORS.

Father Sues Operation Killed His Child Through Non-Sterilization of Instruments.
(Special to the Times).
St. Catharines, April 8.—Dr. McCoy, of this city, and Dr. Dugan, of Niagara Falls, are being sued for damages by Pasquale O'Donnell, of Niagara Falls, who claims that the doctors' failure to sterilize their instruments before operating caused the death of his child.

REVENGE FOR HEAVY RAILROAD RATES

Brazilians Destroy Two Stations and Other Property at Campos.

Rio Janeiro, April 8.—Serious rioting broke out yesterday in the city of Campos and troops were sent in to-day to restore order. The maintenance by the Leopoldina Railroad of exorbitant rates on freight in and out of Campos has aroused the indignation of the people and last evening they descended upon the railroad property and set fire to the two stations, several warehouses and thirty cars. When this had been accomplished they destroyed the railroad bridge over the Panama river.

ATTEMPTS BANK ROBBERY.

Manager, After Revolver Duel, Is Clubbed Into Insensibility.

(Special to the Times).
Toronto, April 8.—A determined attempt to rob the Sterling bank at Thornhill, ten miles to the north, was frustrated early this morning by Manager Roy Henry. Hearing a noise in the bank, Mr. Henry who sleeps above took a revolver and came down. He saw a man working at the window and fired. The intruder fired back and several shots had been exchanged when Mr. Henry was struck with a club and knocked unconscious. The robbers fled before the citizens, aroused by the shooting, reached the bank.

SUCCESS ATTENDS ELECTRIC INCUBATOR

William Baylis Tells of the Results From His Own Device.

Attention was drawn in these columns a short time ago to the fact that William Baylis, editor of the B. C. Poultryman, and proprietor of the Queen's hotel, had perfected a plan for using electricity in heating his incubators. Speaking editorially in this month's Poultryman Mr. Baylis says: "I promised last month to give the details and results of my success with the new method I have perfected, viz., by heating the incubators by the ordinary electric household light. I experimented with various candle-power lights and attachments until I succeeded in maintaining a steady heat of 103 degrees. My attachment is so simple that it is almost impossible to go wrong, and as soon as the incubator is heated to 103 and set at that mark, the light switches on and off automatically; when the thermometer registers 103, the light goes off until the heat drops below the 103 line and the light then switches on."

"My first incubator I started with 75 eggs, and I hatched out on the twentieth day 85 good strong chicks. These were White, Brown and Buff Leghorns, and just catch eggs, not picked. My second incubator I set with 100 picked eggs, experimented with different lights and ran very uneven until tenth day; left in 60 fertile eggs and hatched out 45 chicks. The third and fourth hatches have run steady at 103 degrees right through to fifteenth day, and there is a percentage of 85 good strong chicks, and I am perfectly satisfied that the percentage of chicks hatched by the electric light will far exceed those hatched by the coal oil lamp, as the air is far more pure when free from the coal oil fumes."

The parliament building in Wellington, New Zealand, is the largest wooden structure in the world.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—5 cows, young horse, buggy, harness and outfit, and milk business. Apply F. S. MacDonald, Maple street, off Tolmie Ave.

WANTED—Girl for confectionery store; good wages. 1235 Government street.

WANTED—At once, skit and waist makers, improvers and apprentices. Apply to Miss McMillan, Spence's.

WANTED—To purchase, direct from owners, on easy terms, a large lot near water front, Oak Bay or Shal Bay. Box 237, Times Office.

WANTED—To rent, a furnished four or five room cottage, with bath and electric light. Box 283, Times Office.

WANTED—City canvasser, for first-class Accident Insurance Co. Apply C. H. Revercomb, 618 Troncoe Ave.

\$1.75 Per Pair

DAINTY WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS.

We have only 30 Pairs of these, and they are going fast.

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1116 GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA, B. C.
VICTORIA'S BEST SHOE STORE.

THE PLACE FOR FISHING TACKLE

WE HAVE EVERYTHING—but the fish, FOR EVERY KIND OF SPORT—FISHING.

See our special TROLLING RODS for Saanish Arm, each \$1.25 and \$2.25

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For That Quiet Tete a Tete or for your Callers you require a cup of good tea and some

Swiss Creams

LET'S TALK IT OVER

TO VICTORIA INVESTORS
AND THOSE HAVING AT THEIR DISPOSAL MONEY WHICH THEY WISH TO PLACE IN A SAFE HOME INDUSTRIAL COMPANY

We Strongly Recommend

THE PURCHASE OF SHARES IN

The Horticultural Company
LIMITED.

WHY?
BECAUSE THEY HOLD VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, THEY ARE COMMENCING OPERATIONS THIS SPRING.

Their Products are Home Necessities
THEIR OPERATING EXPENSES WILL BE VERY LOW, AS NO FUEL, WATER OR ANY TEXTURE OF SOIL WILL HAVE TO BE PURCHASED.

Their Manager
MR. JAMES SIMPSON, has had many years' experience, and is an authority looked up to in Great Britain. His word should be accepted when he

Says, the Business Will Pay Large Dividends
INVESTIGATE AND INVEST QUICKLY ON THE GROUND FLOOR BASIS, on easy payments, made easy as no funds are required for promoters or salaries to officers. All money subscribed goes directly into the property.

APPLY TO
GEO. W. DEAN, Secretary,
OR WM. E. LAIRD
ROOMS 19-20 PROMIS BLOCK
1006 Government St. Victoria, B. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST—Young Gordon setter dog, about year old. Return to R. G. Monmouth or be prosecuted.

FOR SALE—19 acres; ideal place for a home and for chickens, fruit and garden; only \$1,000. A. Williams & Co., Ltd., 704 Yates street.

FOR SALE—Six-piece French walnut parlor suite, in good condition, \$125; cash. 384 Douglas street.

LOST—Spaniel bitch, liver and white. Return to H. Murray, Amelia street.

WANTED—Young man, 18-20 years, for delivery wagon. Apply 642 Fort street.

LOST—A white poodle dog. Return to 141 Chambers street. Reward.

FOR SALE—Rubber tired buggy; also road cart for sale, in good condition. Order for inspection can be had at Lee & Fraser, Troncoe Ave.

IF YOU CONTEMPLATE BUILDING drop me a post card. I will furnish you original plans and estimates free of charge. Will furnish plans of houses and cottages at \$5 per \$150 when estimate required. James Fairall, contractor, builder and architect, 566 Springfield Ave., Victoria West.

Replies to Advertisements
Letters in reply to advertisements in the classified columns of the Times await claimants as follows:
NUMBERS—249, 191, 231, 227, 232, 242, 245, 254, 251, 253, 255, 257, 258, 270, 273, 276, 278, 279, 280, 334.
LETTERS—B., N. G., W. K. S.

DIED.
SADLER—At Saanichton, on the 7th inst. Edmund Sadler, a native of Surrey, England, and 79 years of age. The funeral will take place from the family residence at 2 o'clock, and services will be held at St. Stephen's church at 2.30 p. m. The Rev. Flinton will officiate.

VANCOUVER ISLAND ASSOCIATION
Football Championship
NANAIMO vs. LADYSMITH
AT
OAK BAY
Saturday, April 11th
3 P. M.
Admission, 25c.
Grand Stand, 25c extra.

High-Class Ladies' Tailoring
Mantles, Cloaks, Riding Habits, Amazons, Plain and Fancy Suits, etc.
FRED. QUINKER
VERNON CHAMBERS. Phone 123.
Rooms 3, 4, 5. VICTORIA, B. C.

Granite and Marble Works
Monuments, Tablets, Granite Copings, etc., at lowest prices consistent with first-class stock and workmanship.
A. STEWART
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For Spraying Purposes

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PEARL, TURQUOISE, CORAL, PARISIAN
FASTE, etc., set in SOLID GOLD, at prices from

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FOR PAVING PURPOSES

Manufactured by the
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We have a large supply of MOTOR GASOLINE in
drums and cases.

Also 70 p. c., 72 p. c., 74 p. c. and 76 p. c. in cases.

WE CAN FILL LARGE ORDERS
on Demand.

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SHIP CHANDLERS,

1206 WHARF STREET.

You Are Thinking About Building a NEW HOME!

Or perhaps you have decided
to remodel the old homestead.
If so, consult us.

We carry a full and complete
range of Builders' Hardware
and Furnishings in every up
to date style, finish, pattern or
design.

Suitable for Mansion or
Cottage.

Call or write. Let us know your ideas and our ex-
perts will suggest the needs. You will be a satisfied
customer with both quality and price.

E. G. PRIOR & CO.,
Limited Liability.

Implement and Hardware Merchants
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Dealers in Lumber, Sash, Doors and all kinds of Building Material.
Mill, Office and Yards, North Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

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Telephone 564

RETURNS FROM ANTARCTICA

STEAMER NIMROD HAS
WONDERFUL VOYAGE

Lieutenant Shackleton Brings
Thrilling Story of Dangers
Braved.



The Nimrod, which has arrived at
Lyttelton, New Zealand, brought the
following report from Lieutenant
Shackleton, according to advices re-
ceived here yesterday by the Canadian-
Australian liner Maruma:

On January 1st, last, amidst cheers
from thirty thousand people, and suc-
cesses of big guns from the hill heights
of Lyttelton, amidst the hooting of sy-
rens and the blowing of steam whistles,
the little Nimrod steamed forth at 5
p.m. to her long battle with storm and
tempest, towering ice walls, and blind-
ing snows, accompanied by thousands
on steamers, passing the flagship
Powerful, the air was rent with cheers
from the bluejackets, who, to orders,
manned the ship. The Powerful's band
played "Auld Lang Syne," and we, to
the accompaniment of those strains,
hailed in our wire from the tow-boat
Koonya, and set our faces to the un-
known South.

Scarcely clear of Godley Head were
we, before the Nimrod began to wallow
in a choppy sea, and next day we soon
learned the fact that our heavily-laden
little vessel was going to have a rough
time of it. Stronger and ever stronger
blew the wind, and soon we had to over-
haul some ten tons weight of cable and
wire. Towards evening it blew
harder. Great seas came roaring to-
wards us, threatening to smash down
our small ship, but she rose ever gal-
lantly to the towering waves, proving,
as we knew her to be of old, a perfect
sea boat.

Fighting the Elements.

Our great anxiety was the care of the
ponies. Hardly as they were, the rolling
of the ship—its degrees each side—
gave great trouble; so I was compelled
to place two of the scientific staff on
watch, two hours each, to attend to
them, and help them whenever some
extra large seas filled us with water
forward to aft. We were considerably
helped in this struggle to save the
ponies by Mr. George Buckley, who
came with us at an hour's notice, and
who left a life of ease for sheer love
of adventure. To him we owe at least
the life of one pony when it fell; other-
wise, it surely would have gone. Day
after day we hammered through the
white-bitter waves, our own little boat
hardly seen at times as she lurched
into the trough of the seas. Standing
with Captain England, whose sub-
limed seamanship through this trying
time I cannot express admiration
though for I would watch the Koonya
disappear from sight. The next minute
my gaze would be directed to some
great wave green, based and crowned
with white ramping, and strenuously
moving towards us. Inevitably it must
strike us. I would think, but the old
sealer rose, and it would go foaming
beneath with bared lips of hate, as if
disappointed of its prey. Day after day
this struggle against nature in its
sternest mood went on. One night, in
the midst of a hurricane squall, a pony
turned right over in its stall, and fell
on its back. All efforts to get it back
proved unavailing, and it was knock-
ing itself about terribly. So next morn-
ing we had to shoot it, thus reducing
their number to nine. The same day one
of our sledge dogs strangled itself, but
to make up for this a few days after
six fine puppies were born.

Strain of the Tow.

To tell each tale separately of each
succeeding day would be but a repiti-
tion, for during the first twelve days
it did little else but blow gale after
gale. One fine day we had, and then
sudden blankets and wet clothes were
put to dry, and out popped like a
veritable petticoat-lane. We washed
out faces and hands, and generally
squared things up. After this day's
fine weather it began to blow again,
and Captain England's and my anxiety
was heightened by the fact that the
strain of towing was telling on our
ship. She was badly strained and be-
gan to leak. I put the scientific staff
on the pumps in spells, day and night,
until we got past the shrieking fifties,
and the weather became better. Heavy
seas had washed away our bulwarks,
forward, port, and starboard sides, one
morning dislodging the starboard wheel-
house, and filling the pony stalls with water,
but all bad times have an end, and on
January 14th we got a beautiful day.

Professor David Remains.

On January 15th the Koonya left us,
and at this stage I wish to put on re-
cord the ever-ready help, continuous
courtesy, and splendid seamanship of
Captain Evans, of that ship. He had a
most difficult task, and carried it out
splendidly. Captain England managed
the Nimrod as though she were one of
his own hands, so cognizant was he of
her every movement, and the morale of
the whole staff from the oldest to the
youngest was excellent. Many of
them had never been to sea before, and
the change from the luxuries of home
to the discomforts of a little ship of
227 tons must have been great.

Down the 17th Meridian.

The departure of the Koonya marks
the first stage of our journey, after a
tow of 1500 miles through a stormy
sea. We saw on January 15th ice ahead,
and signalled her to stop. After tow-
ing through rough water some ten
sheep for our winter stores and putting
Mr. Buckley on board, she left us for
home, being the first steel steamer to
cross the Antarctic circle. We then set
our faces to the south. Captain Eng-
land and I decided that in view of the
small amount of coal available, and
strained conditions of the ship, that we
would try a new way south to avoid
the pick of ice, which every vessel has
had to force its way through, and after
carefully considering the matter, we

After suffering eight years,
this woman was restored to health
by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound. Read her letter.
Mrs. A. D. Trudeau, Annprior,
Ontario, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:
"I suffered terribly from ulceration
of the feminine organs for eight
years. I tried four doctors but got no
relief, and thought I would have to die.
"One day I saw an advertisement of
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-
pound in the paper. I sent for some,
and before I had used five bottles I
was entirely cured. I hope every suf-
fering woman will take my advice and
use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.
For thirty years Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Compound, made
from roots and herbs, has been the
standard remedy for female ills,
and has positively cured thousands of
women who have been troubled with
displacements, inflammation, ulceration,
fibroid tumors, irregularities,
periodic pains, backache, that bear-
ing-down feeling, flatulency, indiges-
tion, dizziness or nervous prostration.
Why don't you try it?

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs.
Pinkham if you need advice about
your sickness. She will treat your
letter in confidence and advise
you free. Because of her vast
experience she has helped thou-
sands. Address, Lynn, Mass.

decided that if we went down on the
17th Meridian west, we might be more
fortunate than the Discovery was in
1901. So on the 17th meridian we
steamed.

Through Lanes of Ice.

On the morning of January 16 we
entered the city of the white marvel-
ous Venice of the South—mile upon
mile of great icebergs; never a sign of
pack ice, but from the crown's nest on
the main mast stretched out east and
west as far as we could see were these
wonderful herds of the frozen south-
great giants weaned from the bosom
of Antarctica. Through broad paths
and through narrow alleys, between
towering walls of white ice the little
Nimrod threaded her way, surrounded
by hosts of Antarctic petrels, now and
then greeted by the astonished squeak
of a penguin, which saw for the first
time in its life a ship. The third of our
screw and the wash from the propeller
as we passed stirred some of the
great ice walls, and they fell in our
wake with a mighty crash and roar.
Sad to say, however, our lot had been
in that spot just then. After pass-
ing for hours through these narrow
lanes of ice, often thinking we were
in a cul-de-sac, but ever finding a
way through on towards the south, we
at length emerged into an open sea.
To the south-east and west was ice-
berg, ice, and behind us lay our line
bergs. We had eluded for the first time
in the history of Polar navigation pack-
ice; and to greet our entry to Ross sea,
to remind us that it was not all plain
sailing, a wind came from the south,
which made our rigging shine with
frost, and the ropes slippery with froz-
en sea water. The Nimrod began again
to pitch. We had not long to wait
before this told us there was a free
southward. When the wind was
over we were soon on our way, and
though next day we had to steer west-
ward for a few hours to avoid some
heavy land ice, we made good distance
on our way south.

The Great Ice Barrier.

Thus we went along until the morn-
ing of January 22 we saw a low line
on the horizon, and knew we were in sight
of the Great Ice Barrier. At last by
noon we were close to this wonderful
rampart, that so far has guarded the
secret of the south from the attack
of ships, rising sheer from the water
to a height of 150ft, and stretching
east and west as far as the eye could
see. It is truly one of the wonders of
the world. At once we turned to the
ward, and steamed along the ice-
wall, passing a deep inlet, and towards
midnight turned a sharp corner open-
ing to a wide bay filled with pack ice,
on which were numbers of seals and
emperor penguins. The whole bay was
alive with huge finned-backed whales.
To the south about seven miles across
the packed ice rose a steep cliff of ice,
beyond which lay the eastward were
high undulations terminating in very
steep hills rising to heights of 1000ft
approximately; no bare rocks being
visible. Pack ice lay thick to the east-
ward and northward, interspersed with
huge bergs and land ice, but the open
lead gave us a passage north. Pass-
ing this section of the pack, we steamed
down close to the barrier again, and
at 3 p.m. turned another sharp corner,
round which we went. The barrier
trended north-eastward. We had
now passed the position of the inlet
where we had hoped to have wintered,
and found it had broken away, so thus
met our first serious check. Everything
was ready for discharging, but our
prospective port had disappeared, and
we steamed on eastward to try to hit
actual land of King Edward VII. Land.
But soon we were barred from this
route by ice, which pressed up close
against the barrier. To add to my
anxiety, the pack was rapidly closing
behind us, and with the knowledge
of what this meant to our little ship, I
turned round, just clearing the corner
of the barrier by a bare 50 yards.

A Sensational Escape.

What we escaped can be realized if
one imagines that one is in little boat
close under the white cliffs of Dover,
and one sees great, solid masses, some
as large and high as the Royal Ex-
change, the Bank of England, the New

War Office, and some as long as Fleet-
street and Northumberland-avenue, all
moving down to crush the little vessel.
Then one can gather the seriousness of
our position. On clearing the point we
steamed back along the barrier in the
afternoon, entering the bay again, thus
finding that the barrier had broken
away, taking some 15 miles of ice, and
leaving a sheer ice face of 150 ft in
height. It was not until 8 p.m. we found
an opening to the north through heavy
ice, and again I turned east to try to
reach the eastern land. All that night
we pursued a zig-zag course, sometimes
steaming into an apparently open sea,
only to be brought up by close-screwed
and hummocked-up ice packs, and huge
bergs. At 6 p.m. next day we were
further west than the day before, and
well to the north. That evening the
wind sprang up from the north-west
with squalls, driving hail, and snow,
so thick that we had to go slow, our
horizon being limited to a few yards.
Once it cleared up, and I saw the ice
was rapidly closing round us, so re-
luctantly I gave orders to turn back,
and it was not until 1 o'clock next
morning that we cleared the ice to the
north.

Looking For Winter Quarters.

The only thing I could do was to seek
winter quarters in Macmur's Sound, as
our very limited and rapidly-decreasing
coal would not allow us further time
to go anywhere else, and the strained
condition of the ship, was a cause for
grave anxiety to me. There seemed
absolutely no prospect of reaching King
Edward's Land. It was barred by im-
penetrable ice. The only expedition
which was fortunate enough to find
clear water was the Discovery. Thus
foiled in obtaining either of these
places we, slowly battling against a
strong west wind, made our way to
Macmur's Sound, which lay under the
shadow of a mighty active volcano,
Mount Erebus. Hope ran high as we
steamed down the sound that morning,
January 23rd, that we might reach the
winter quarters of the Discovery, but
at 10 a.m. we found ourselves held up
by ice, miles from our goal. When the
Discovery entered in 1901 she had ab-
solutely no ice-free sea to her winter
quarters. We tried the remaining ice,
but in a few minutes realized we might
as well have tried to have rammed
through the great pyramid. So I tied
the ship up to the ice face, and prayed
for a northerly well to break up the
ice. We lay at the edge of the ice till
February 3rd, making only a trip west
to see if there possibly was a place to
winter, but found ice extending all
round. During this time about one
mile of ice broke away, and on the re-
turn of the party which I sent to our
old quarters, they reported that the ice
was solid all the way in. I felt that I
must not delay longer, but must seek
new winter quarters on the eastern
shore, north of the ice.

Selection of Cape Royds.

Whilst getting some stores on deck
an unfortunate accident occurred to
one of the landing party. Mr. Macin-
toch was struck in the right eye by a
book, necessitating the removal of the
eye. He is now blind, well, and has
returned in the Nimrod. I am deeply
grieved about him, and appreciate the
great loss he is to us as a valuable
member of my staff. I eventually de-
cided to make winter quarters on Cape
Royds, and the work of discharging the
stores, building the hut, etc., began. It
was under great difficulties, for a great
proportion had to be done in boats,
under exceptionally trying weather.
The temperature was low, and falling
daily. On February 19th the Nimrod
was blown away by a terrific blizzard.
For three days it continued thick, with
driving snow, and the temperature was
16 degrees below zero. A very high,
short sea was continually breaking
over her, freezing on all the ropes and
sides, and accumulating in great masses
on ice for and aft. We had to cut
away part of the bulwarks to allow the
ship to free herself of water, which
was frequently up to the men's waists.
All ports were frozen solid. The rudder
was frozen fast in the trunk, and the
men were continually working to
keep it clear with axes, and crow-bars.

At Foot of Mount Erebus.

All hands were wearing ship about
every four to six hours, avoiding great
bergs and heavy flows of land ice, with
much difficulty. The ship was blown
over forty miles N.W. in spite of full
steam. The men, ponies, and dogs are
all fit and well. Two ponies were nearly
lost, one by falling between two huge
floes of land ice, when the ice broke
up in the bay. They were saved with
difficulty. They had to be literally lift-
ed out with ropes. The hut is built in
a sheltered valley at the foot of Mount
Erebus, on Cape Royds, about twenty
miles north of the Discovery's winter
quarters, and well sheltered from
southerly winds.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

Returns for the Month of March Show
a Decrease.

The school returns for the month of
March shows that there was a falling
off in the attendance as compared with
previous months.

Returns for the various city
schools are as follows:

High School—Actual attendance, 242;
average attendance, 213.42; percent-
age of attendance, 88; number present
every day, 61.

Boys' Central—Actual attendance,
545; average attendance, 484.41; per-
centage of attendance, 88; number
present every day, 229.

Girls' Central—Actual attendance,
430; average attendance, 378.17; per-
centage of attendance, 87; number
present every day, 134.

North Ward—Actual attendance, 466;
average attendance, 351.05; percentage
of attendance, 86; number present
every day, 153.

South Park—Actual attendance, 390;
average attendance, 352.19; percentage
of attendance, 90; number present
every day, 164.

Victoria West—Actual attendance,
220; average attendance, 169.41; per-
centage of attendance, 77; number
present every day, 84.

Spring Ridge—Actual attendance,
189; average attendance, 167.12; per-
centage of attendance, 88; number
present every day, 81.

Kingston—Actual attendance, 166;
average attendance, 141.14; percentage
of attendance, 85; number present
every day, 60.

Hillside—Actual attendance, 133;
average attendance, 103.92; percentage

THREE THINGS THAT MUST BE GOOD AND THEY ARE GOOD

See them and your judgment will tell you what to do.
Your investment will make you happy.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS, per lb. 17c
FRESH ISLAND EGGS, per dozen 30c
CALIFORNIA BUTTER, per block 55c
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TWO PRESIDENTS AND A PRECEDENT.

Now it is the turn of the United States to have trouble with Venezuela. We think it was President Cleveland about the year 1895 who on behalf of the bumptious republic issued an ultimatum to Great Britain which was untolded the world. The challenge was unmatched for insolence in the history of diplomacy, and but for the admirable spirit of forbearance displayed by British statesmen might have resulted in serious mischief. At a less pacific stage in the temperament of nations it would unquestionably have been followed by war. Now President Castro has assumed towards the United States an attitude almost identical with the demeanor of the republic to Great Britain fifteen years ago. President Roosevelt is he d-up to scorn as a wilful aggressor bent upon either the conquest or the humiliation of South American independent states. Venezuela's grievance against Britain was in connection with the settlement of a boundary dispute, and the ultimate result was that the Imperial position was fully vindicated. The trouble between the republic and the United States has to do with some trivial private matter in which the claims of American citizens to tar or asphalt or some kindred compound are involved. It does not appear that the President has been menacing Mr. Castro with his Big Stick. In fact, from such information as is available, Mr. Roosevelt has been dealing very gently with the fiery little black-a-moor. Nevertheless it suits the purpose of the minor president to picture the major one as a bully and blusterer and to appeal to the world to judge as to the merits of the dispute. It will be very interesting indeed to watch the outcome of this national burlesque, and especially interesting because of the protectorate the United States has assumed over all South American republics of volcanic temperament.

FREE SPEECH AND ANARCHY.

The American people are in a quandary respecting treatment of the Anarchists now so persistently active in their midst. The constitution plays a very important part in the controversy. The inalienable right of a man or a woman under the written instrument to speak the thing he or she wills has been interpreted for and against free speech. On the one hand it is contended that to suppress such persons as Emma Goldman is to sit upon the safety valve and to render danger of an explosion more imminent. On the other it is held that to permit the currency of anarchistic doctrine is to delude the shallow and the thoughtless and increase the danger of such outrages as the Haymarket affair in Chicago some years ago and the more recent attempt to blow into fragments a squad of New York policemen. The point to be decided is what is the most salutary course to pursue in order to curb the incendiary tendencies of the large foreign element in the United States. If the matter were left in the hands of the police, the question would be speedily determined. All meetings of anarchists would be dispersed incontinently and all protagonists of the doctrine of assassination would be jailed on the instant of their appearance in public gatherings, whether in halls or upon streets or squares. But the authorities directly responsible to the people are not quite sure that that would be the proper method of procedure. The rights of free speech are too sacred to be trampled upon even in such an apparently desirable cause as the suppression of the mad leontines of the continental new schools of "advanced thought." Hence the perplexity of our neighbors. We are not inclined to say in this case that in the British Empire we do things better. In this country we have not yet been afflicted with immigration of the class which has been responsible for nearly all anarchistic outrages in the United States. We have not, we are thankful to say, been called upon to deal with such conditions as prevail in the great cities of the republic. There is as yet no reason why there should be any curtailment of the liberty of speech. Miss Goldman was permitted to rail in Winnipeg against constituted authority, and yet we venture to predict that the seed scattered there will neither take root nor fructify in acts of incendiarism. The ground in Canada is too stony. The sower was merely wasting her time as regards her propaganda, although she no doubt made her distributives profitable from a purely personal point of view, inasmuch as it is noticeable that a charge was made at the door for admission to her denunciatory soiree.

But in the great metropolitan city of London the conditions must closely resemble the situation in Chicago and New York. The metropolis is a place of refuge for all kinds and sorts of political refugees from every clime congregate there, and no closure

is ever applied to their utterances. It is claimed they hatch conspiracies there, to be carried into execution elsewhere. Be that as it may, there is no question of their ever abusing English hospitality. Whether there is any connection between government tolerance and anarchist forbearance there is no definite information. But the facts are worthy of the serious consideration of our neighbors, who are at present divided between two opinions as to the best method of meeting a very perplexing situation.

The troubles of Mr. Asquith as Premier will begin with the endeavor to elect his new cabinet ministers. Public opinion has evidently undergone a great change since the general election which gave the government its tremendous majority. The recent vote on home rule will not strengthen the administration in English constituencies in particular. Those in a position to speak with authority claim the most bitter fight of all will be in Manchester, the present seat of Mr. Churchill. The young man is a courageous fighter, however, and if he goes down it will only be after a desperate battle.

Now that the question of immigration from Japan and India has been settled, and settled satisfactorily to the people of British Columbia, through the able efforts of Mr. Mackenzie King, acting for the Dominion government, the importance of uninterrupted and intimate trade relations with Asia to the cities of the Pacific coast is gravely discussed by organs of the McBride government. Yet that government's action upon the question was inspired by purely partisan motives and displayed but little regard for the future of the coast cities.

The persons who were most active in their opposition to the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, upon the ground that the question of another transcontinental line was premature, are now loudest in their censure of the Dominion government for displaying too great caution in regard to the construction of a railway to Hudson's Bay. Mr. Borden is amongst the converts. Yet we venture to say if the government were to announce its intention of building or procuring the construction of the Hudson's Bay line, the project would be attacked as an electioneering dodge.

"Political babes" they call Mr. Lloyd-George and Mr. Churchill, the twin precocities of the new government. But consider the age of Pitt when he became Premier. It may be that the people of Manchester in particular and of Great Britain in general have more confidence in Mr. Churchill than the people of Greater Britain. And as for Mr. Lloyd-George, he is not the greatest of living Welshmen? The two young men may become the chief bulwarks of Liberalism in the United Kingdom.

President Castro is a very astute statesman. He knows the American fleet is upon the Pacific and that therefore the chief knob in the Big Stick cannot be applied to his pate. If the canal had been completed perhaps his excellency would have been more amenable to reason. All the facts considered, possibly Britons may be excused for a trifle of hilarity as they think about the matter of a certain dispute over the boundaries of Guiana.

Sir William Van Horne will please take notice that the "all-red" steamship scheme is not dead. It is not even sleeping. It will be carried out. The best thing for the C. P. R. people is to make up their minds to the inevitable and to endeavor to secure a partnership. There are none better fitted to participate and their co-operation would unquestionably be welcomed by all the governments concerned.

After reposing in London for 130 years, the remains of Emanuel Swedenborg, the famous mystic and writer, are on their way to Sweden for burial in their native soil. The Swedish government formally requested the exhumation and surrender of the body, and on the British government assenting, authorized Count Wrangel, the Swedish minister in London, to arrange the details.

The bye-elections will be the fiercest contests ever waged in Great Britain. The Tories are filled to overflowing with exuberance as a result of late victories. They will make a strong fight to wrest Manchester from the government, and if they succeed the result will be demoralizing to the forces behind Prime Minister Asquith, strong though they be.

The temperance or anti-saloon wave is just now hovering over Illinois and contiguous states. The experience there has been the experience of all English-speaking communities. In the country districts the temperance sentiment is strong. In urban communities the people in the aggregate are not in favor of drastic reformatory measures.

The Canadian trade agent in Sydney, Australia, reports that many British immigrants there are dissatisfied with the prospect of being able to buy land at \$25 an acre and then stock it. Many will leave for Canada.

Prince Edward Island has just completed a shipment of 200,000 bushels of seed oats to the north-west provinces. The little province also reports that the export of flax and draught horses has been at a low level for the past year. In the case of business she has

had the call over all others for many a day.

Montreal has just floated a \$5,000,000 four per cent. loan at 95.025, a little less than the figure of 98, which was expected, but nevertheless more than two per cent. better than New York's recent four per cent. loan.

Our interesting friend Andrew Carnegie says the day will come when it will be considered very bad form for a man to be seen with a cigar or a pipe in his mouth. Is it because Andrew cannot afford the luxury of an acquaintance with My Lady Nicotine?

Our Conservative friends do not appear to particularly relish the thought of general elections in the Dominion or any of the provinces of Canada. Is all the talk merely bravado in the face of certain defeat?

The agitation in favor of the separation of Northern from Southern Ontario continues. A public meeting at Sudbury voted two to one for another separate province.

People of Latin origin take their politics very seriously. The elections in Portugal could not be conducted without bloodshed.

Mr. Asquith is Prime Minister of Great Britain. Will his government emerge triumphant from the ordeal?

Leader Balfour received the news upon the golf links. And he did not make a single coo.

VIEW TAKEN BY PARKS BOARD

WITH RELATION TO SOME ALDERMEN'S STAND

A Member of the Body Explains What Has Been Done and Obstacles Encountered.

The unexpected, and almost unexplained feeling which has arisen between certain members of the council and the public parks board has been very much in evidence at the last meeting of the respective bodies. Throughout the city it is felt that this is unfortunate as each can do its work to the best advantage only through the co-operation of the other. At the meeting of the city council on Monday night a number of complaints were made. Ald. Hall declared specifically that the board was recklessly extravagant and inferentially he and Ald. Mable charged that unless the council kept a watchful eye over them the park commissioners would squander their appropriation in Beacon Hill park and ignore the new North Ward park. Ald. Pauline wanted it understood that the parks board was subservient to the council and suggested that its by-laws be amended accordingly.

The Mayor claimed to be on record as being opposed to anyone spending money who was not directly responsible to the council and pointed out that the present Parks by-law did not give that control. Ald. Henderson criticized the board for sending its resolution providing for boulevard work to the city engineer for report before it came before the council. It is a fair deduction that the members of the council mentioned, together with Ald. Cameron, chairman of the finance committee, have little enthusiasm for the new governing body of the city's public places.

On the other hand the park commissioners are outspoken in their opinion of the way in which they are being treated. "If the present council," said one of them to-day, "continues to make the unfair, uncalled for, and unwarranted remarks reported in the press as taking place at Monday's meeting, they will speedily establish a unique reputation for peevishness and pin-pricking criticism, scarcely worthy of them."

"Last year," he continued, "although it was mid-summer before the board was constituted, there was the heartiest and most generous co-operation between the board and council. From the moment the new Mayor and council took office, however, they, or some of them, seemed to regard the board as an object of distrust and suspicion, or as Ald. Hall put it the other night, 'as a body of men who know nothing about how to spend money.'"

"What does Ald. Hall mean by his charge of extravagance, and undue favoritism in the expenditures on Beacon Hill? Last year the authorized vote for Beacon Hill was \$5,240 of which the board spent only \$4,226.08. For the Gorge park \$250 was appropriated, of which not a dollar was spent. For North Ward park \$1,250 was authorized of which for reasons, which can be stated later only \$220.25 was spent. Do these bear out Ald. Hall's charge of extravagance?"

"Clearly his strictures do not apply to last year's business. But what is the case this year? The sum of \$20,000 would have been a modest one to do the work which the board is expected to do this year. Yet because of the fact that the demands on the council were so heavy they asked for only about \$12,000. If this was an extravagant demand why was the motion adopting that estimate, and ordering its transmission to the council, fathered by Ald. Cameron, who is now joining in this hue and cry against the board? And if the charge of non-responsibility on the part of the board is to apply, how do these aldermen explain the fact that the four members present at the park board when their estimates were decided upon; two (Mayor Hall and Ald. Cameron) were members of the council and the first named, as acting chairman, had the casting vote. The suggestion that the park board will not do justice to North Ward park

looks very much like a convenient break for cover by the men really responsible for the delay in getting started there. The chairman of the board, after waiting long for the completion of the estimates, applied for an interim appropriation for just such work as that now demanding attention in the North Ward. Finally \$500 was passed and work commenced at once. Last year, for obvious reasons, considering that the board assumed office only in June, it was inadvisable to do much to the new playgrounds. But if, as should have been done, the unexpended balance due the board for that year could have been completed ere now. This balance was absorbed by the council.

"Like the boulevarding work the North Ward Park work has been hung up awaiting the completion of the interminable estimates at the very time of year when every dollar spent would do more good than two spent later on in the year. As a matter of fact the only tile in stock in the city which the board has been trying to get hold of is now gone and there will be further delay in consequence. The work of the board, if it is to be done efficiently, must be done at the proper seasons, and not hampered by the childish petulance so much in evidence on Monday night."

"As to the work of boulevarding, the delay in this connection, sufficiently expounding before, has been further accentuated by the complaint of Ald. Henderson and others that the board's motion relative to new boulevarding work should have gone first to them and then to the engineer instead of being sent direct to the engineer as was done. As far as can be gathered from the press reports, this plan is not sufficiently slow and circuitous to suit him, and Ald. Henderson wants to penalize the board by following a plan which will put back the date of getting to work still further, although the best season for planting is now at hand."

"Yet clause 23 of the board by-laws seems to leave no doubt that the course complained of was the proper one. It provides that:

"The board shall from time to time, by resolution determine and recommend such of the avenues, boulevards, etc., to be formed, boulevarded, etc., as well construction as reconstruction. Upon the notification of any such resolution it shall be the duty of the city engineer and city assessor to make report upon the proposed work as a work of local improvement in all respects and with the like incidents and formalities as if the said resolution of the board were a resolution of the council, and the council shall consider such report and may thereupon pass all necessary local improvement by-laws."

"Is not this the very procedure the board has followed?"

"Take, too, the conflict of authority over Park road. After consultation with the council and its officers last year the board adopted a policy of following the cement walks laid flush with the street line, thus keeping the boulevard portion in one strip. This was consistently followed till it was found that some property owners on Park road objected. This letter of objection was referred to the board by the city council and it was agreed that the board should visit the street and decide on the best course. That decision finally being that the board adhere to its policy, the matter was carried to the council which revoked the board's action and practically informed them they had nothing to do with it. One of the chief reasons, I may say for instituting such a board as ours was that it would be more or less continuous in personnel and policy and hence the work of beautifying the city and any settled policy in connection therewith would not be nullified by the action of importunate voters in the manner mentioned."

"The same is true of trees. Last fall the city engineer submitted a list of trees which obstructed the work of laying sidewalks or boulevards and Ald. Henderson moved that the letter be referred to a committee of which he was a member to examine these locations and order the removal of the trees should they be fit to do so. Yet the same alderman a few nights ago declared that the board had no jurisdiction over trees which interfered with street work."

"As a matter of fact the answer to all the criticism which has been offered was made by Ald. Fullerton the other night. The parks board was created to do certain work. It was created by the city council and to enable it to do its work the council, voluntarily clothed it with powers which up to that time were vested in itself. If it now chooses to repeal its action and revoke those powers it can alter the by-laws accordingly, and it may be able to obtain a board which will undertake to carry on the work with authority which will be permanent only. But the council cannot by simple declaration decide that it will exercise certain authority with which it has already parted."

"Notwithstanding the attitude of certain members of the council, the members of the board can justly feel gratified with the progress they have already made. They are just as disinterested as the aldermen; they give their services gratuitously; they undertook a work which citizens generally regarded of prime importance in making Victoria the City Beautiful, and they are ready to give their energies and time to attain that object. They expect to be criticised if they make mistakes, but they do not expect to be attacked for things of which they are not guilty, nor do they propose to meekly carry the odium for neglect, the blame for which rests properly on other shoulders."

"The licence commissioners this afternoon refused the application of William Harrison for a temporary permit for a saloon in the block at the corner of Yates and Broad streets, now occupied by C. W. Blackstock & Co. It was Mr. Harrison's intention to apply later for a removal permit from his present premises in the rear of Good-acre's butcher shop, on Johnson street to the place for which he asked a temporary permit."

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The returns for the Victoria clearing house for the week ended yesterday were \$1,064,564.

Applications for the positions of superintendent of streets, sewers and sidewalk construction, a new office decided upon by the council, will be received up to Monday next.

The chariot race at the rink last night was the prettiest race of any kind ever run on skates. Each girl drove her two charging skaters very cleverly and the trios passed each other time and again, the red came in ahead last night, and with the blue and lavender will run to-night.

This evening the regular meeting of the school board will be held when the question of a separate school for Chinese scholars will be considered.

This matter came up for consideration at the last meeting of the board but was left over until this meeting.

The part of the work of the Pan-Anglican congress dealing with the church in its relation to modern thought was discussed at a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Christ church cathedral yesterday afternoon.

The lecture of the meeting was an address by Rev. Canon Beadlands on "Christian Science, and the attitude which members of the Church of England should observe towards its teachings."

The building inspector yesterday issued a permit to Ald. William J. Mable for the erection of his proposed new carriage works on Johnson street, the cost of which, it is estimated, will be \$12,000.

Hooper & Watkins are the architects and William Worthington the contractor. Permits were also issued to B. Knight for a dwelling on Avalon street to cost \$1,900 and E. Rogers for a cottage on Simcoe street to cost \$300.

It is likely that the city by-law placing the license of insurance agents, whose companies do not maintain offices here, at \$100 per year will be repealed shortly. Last year the license was raised from \$20, the object being to get after the transient agent who pays no other tax to the city. It is now found, however, that the by-law has had exactly the opposite result, the local agents being the ones on whom the burden of the license will fall. A deputation waited upon the council on Monday night in regard to the matter, which the council then promised to take up.

Mr. McLorie entertained the members and friends of the First Presbyterian club at the last meeting with his readings from the works of Drummond, the Canadian poet. A short programme, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Duncan, duet by Miss Cameron and Miss Wilson, and solos by Miss Lamont and Mr. Perry also added to the enjoyment of the evening, as did the guessing contest, the first prize for which had to be divided between Miss Duncan and Miss Semsmith, each scoring the same number, and the booby prize between Messrs. Creech and Waterson. Mr. Frank then gave some amusing personal reminiscences of Drummond, after which the singing of "The Maple Leaf" brought the Canadian night to a close.

The committee appointed at Saturday night's meeting to arrange matters pertaining to organization met at Mr. Rivercomb's office in Trowance alley, on Monday afternoon and drew up a form of constitution, etc., to be submitted at the general meeting. The subject of a dinner for organization was discussed, but was found impossible until after the club had been organized as little idea could be had of the number who would attend. After some discussion it was decided to hold a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. hall on Broad street on Wednesday, April 15th, at 8 p. m., for organization. All persons who have lived on the prairies wishing to become connected with the club are requested to attend or send in their names and addresses to Mr. Rivercomb, Trowance alley, or to the secretary of the committee, J. Leslie Forster, room 24 Five Sisters block.

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APRIL PROMISES TO BE RECORD MONTH

The Building Permits for First Week Indicate Big Total.

April promises to take the record for the amount of building done in Victoria since the present system of issuing permits was introduced last August. During the first week of the month, that is, up to last night, the value of the buildings for which permits were taken out amounted to \$34,750. If this ratio is continued for the month, and it is confidently expected it will be for the building season is practically only commencing, the total for the thirty days will be far ahead of any other figures, recorded or unrecorded.

One of the particular points of interest in connection with the building going on this year is that it is confined almost entirely to homes, thus bearing a most desirable and uncontested evidence of the growth in the city's population which is taking place for every house is taken as soon as ready for occupancy and there is scarcely a house in the city that is not occupied.

FRIENDLY HELP SOCIETY.
Report For Month Presented at Meeting Held Yesterday.

During March the Friendly Help Society assisted 35 families, of whom 17 had groceries, seven milk daily, 18 clothing, and ten fuel, while furniture and carpet were given to one. The report on the month's work was presented at a meeting of the society held yesterday, when a number of other matters were considered. The society is anxious that everyone having cast-off clothing to give away, should send it to the society headquarters, market building, as there are a number of deserving cases on the books of the secretary at present to whom such goods would come especially welcome.

The following donations were reported for the month: Cash—A friend, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. H. Scott, city, a donor.

Clothing—Mrs. William Deen, Miss Saunders, Mrs. V. Jacobson, Mrs. McRae, Mrs. W. Munzie, Mrs. Luke Pittier, Mrs. R. Ritchie, Miss Lee, Mrs. (Col.) Grant, Mrs. J. Leeming, Mrs. J. Brooker, Mrs. F. J. Boswell, Mrs. Wallace (clothing and carpet).

A pretty comfort for children were new garments for children were kindly sent by the Children's Aid Society of Dunsmuir.

ORGANIZATION PROCEEDS.
Young People's Societies at Work on Campaign Regarding Social Evil.

The work of organizing the Young People's societies of the city for the campaign for the removal of all houses of ill-repute from all that portion of the city east of Government street is going ahead apace and already most of the organizations interested have appointed their committees. As soon as the remainder have done so a meeting will be held after which petitions will be prepared and circulated among church members and others asking for the removal of all such places from the present locations to some place west of Government street this is, between that street and the water front, where, it is felt, they would be less conspicuous than they are at present. The Ministerial association is supporting the movement in the belief that this will be the first step toward the total eradication of the social evil from the city.

Five drunks comprised the docket at the police court this morning, four of whom paid the usual amounts. The fifth, an inmate of the Old Men's home, was let off with a warning that he should not be so leniently dealt with next time and that the result would be the loss of his home. The charge against Lai Dole of having assaulted Mrs. Mol Chung, which was to have come up was withdrawn.

Owing to the unexpected and unavoidable absence of Mr. Loewenberg at Vancouver, the committee of the French Alliance have been compelled to postpone until Easter week the presentation of the French comedy, set for this evening, and in which Mr. Loewenberg had one of the leading roles. The home is also postponed and there will be the usual exercises only this evening.

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CLERGY ON WAY TO EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Visitors From New Zealand Entertained at Bishop's Palace Last Night.

The Rev. Bishop Lenihan, bishop of Auckland, New Zealand, accompanied by Father Patterson and Father Lynch, were among the arrivals on the Canadian Australian Royal Mail liner Marama. The reverend gentlemen are on the way to pay their visit to the Pope of Rome and to attend the Eucharistic Congress. Upon arrival at Vancouver they will go to Dunbarque and from there to St. Paul. The next stage of the journey will be a visit to Chicago, and then on to Washington and New York, after which the journey will be continued to Montreal and thence across the Atlantic to London. Bishop Lenihan said on arrival last evening that he expected to be away from Australia altogether ten months, and that the trip round the world is being taken partly on business and partly on pleasure.

The party was met at the boat by Father Cairns. They were driven to the Bishop's palace and left again by the Marama for Vancouver last night.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Grahame, widow of the late T. L. Grahame, of the London Daily Mail, and formerly editor of the Times, left England on the Empress of Britain, sailing on the 2nd, on a visit to British Columbia. She will spend some time in Victoria.

E. Trenchard Miller, a large breeder of race horses, of Sydney, N. S. W., and Richard and Mrs. Garland, of Melbourne, passengers on the Marama, are registered at the Empress.

Guests at the Empress who arrived this morning from Seattle are: C. Sheafe Joslyn, T. E. Kildare, A. F. Nye, W. A. Ross, J. A. Moore, W. G. Collins and George A. Vowall.

Leut. R. P. Kingscott, R. N., who is on leave of absence and visiting his brother at Saanich, returned to the Balmoral yesterday afternoon and left this morning for a few days' fishing at Cowichan lake.

Mrs. Rev. J. A. Wood, of Sidney, came to the city yesterday to meet her sister, Mrs. O. Q. Sweet, who arrived on the Marama from Australia. They are at the Dominion.

Mrs. G. D. Anstey and George R. Anstey, of New York, are at the Dominion, where they have taken apartments for the summer.

E. D. Wood and a party of eight friends from Winnipeg spent yesterday in the city, at the Dominion. They are touring the Sound cities.

S. McB. Smith, travelling assessor, will leave for Alberni to-morrow to take up the duties of the government agent there temporarily.

A. R. Tracy, formerly a member of the London Stock Exchange, is about to make his home here. He is at the King Edward.

Miss Caroline G. Mitchell arrived on the Marama last night from Australia and registered at the Dominion.

Captain McMicking, of Nanaimo, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMicking, in Victoria.

J. J. White, collector of customs at Sidney, who arrived here yesterday, will return this evening.

W. C. King, interested in the Alberta Oil Company, will return to Edmonton early next week.

E. C. Pirih, ticket agent of the E. & N. railway, arrived last night from Vancouver.

A. Brennan and Mrs. Brennan, retired business people from Portland, Ore., are making a short holiday at the Balmoral.

F. Eastwood and Charles Ball, of this city, will leave at the end of the month for England.

W. R. Livingstone, of Cypress, will make an extended stay at the Dominion.

A. E. McPhillips, K. C., left this morning on a business trip to Mexico City. Alexis Martin arrived from Vancouver last night and is at the Empress.

Fred. H. Maitland-Douglass, of Cowichan, is registered at the Empress. J. A. and Mrs. Crossan, of Vancouver, are at the Driad.

Mayor Plante, of Nanaimo, was in the city yesterday.

DEATH OF A PIONEER OF SAANICH DISTRICT

E. Sadler Passed Away at the Advanced Age of Seventy-three.

The death occurred Monday last of Edmond Sadler, a well known and highly respected resident of Saanich, at the ripe old age of 73. The deceased was one of the pioneers of the district, having been a resident of the province for the past forty years. He was the owner of a fine estate about midway between Saanichton and Sidney, which, since his marriage, he has rented, preferring to live in Saanichton. His wife was formerly Mrs. Turgoose, the mother of Fred. Turgoose, of Saanichton, and several sisters.

The late Mr. Sadler was one of those hardy pioneers who are not often heard of but who are the backbone of the country, taking an important part in its development. Although not an active politician he always took a lively interest in public affairs and was in every sense of the word a good citizen.

The funeral, which will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Flinton at St. Stephen's church, will take place on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

On Tuesday evening, April 28th, the fourteenth annual dance of the Companions of the Forest will be held in the A. O. U. W. hall, when a most enjoyable evening will be spent.

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PREPARATIONS FOR SWIMMING

**DURING COMING SEASON
ARE BEING MADE**

**Y. M. C. A. to Hold Meeting on
Friday Night to
Organize.**

Swimming is becoming one of the sports in which Victoria people take delight. The establishment of the Gorge Park and the bathing facilities offered there has done a good deal towards making the exercise more popular. As mentioned in the Times a week or two ago the boys of the Y. M. C. A. have already commenced practicing, although the waters of the Gorge are as yet rather cool. On Friday of this week there will be a meeting of all those interested in swimming at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of organizing for the season and deciding a number of points in connection with the club.

Last season the Y. M. C. A. swimming club numbered only about a dozen, but from these were picked four winners out of six in the Island championship sports organized by Ian St. Clair. It was at this time that A. J. Brace won the Premier's medal for life saving. This year the club will have at least fifty members, thirty having already joined. Later in the season the boys will go into camp somewhere on the Gorge, probably at the old site, so that there will be every opportunity to encourage this sport.

Preparations will be made to enter men in every swimming contest held anywhere within reach. The boys who visited Vancouver a short time ago to take part in the indoor meet gave a very good account of themselves, although they had had no opportunity of practicing throughout the winter. Gwynn Kiddle took two seconds and two thirds, and Frank Crompton made a good showing in the fifty and hundred yard races. Fred Haveling is also a good man and will likely be heard from this year. There is a relay team in the club that will, after a month or two of practice, give any other four a good race. These consist of the three names already mentioned with Oswald Marjison.

At the meeting on Friday night a final decision will be made about the ordering of special bathing suits from the Old Country. These will be all of uniform color and will have the Y. M. C. A. badge worked into them.

More Clubs.
Doubtless as a result of the lead taken by the Y. M. C. A. a number of other swimming clubs will spring up in and around the city. There has been one for some time at Ganges Harbor on Salt Spring Island. The more of these clubs the better as they all tend to foster a love for the aquatic games and especially to train men for life-saving work. In a city such as this, that is situated on the water, where

there is always a little danger of falling, it is highly desirable that everyone should learn to swim, male or female.

It seems rather a pity that a ladies' swimming club cannot be formed here. There is ample opportunity. Many sites suitable could be secured on the banks of the Gorge, but an instructor, or someone to look after the beginners, should be always on hand to see that no accidents occur.

GIRL'S GREAT RECORD.
Miss L. Beaupre, of Albert Park, Melbourne, the Victorian lady swimmer, and sister of the champion of the Australian state, recently broke the 100 yds world's record for ladies by swimming the distance in 1m 10s.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.
SATURDAY'S GAME.

More interest is being taken in the Association football match to be played in this city on Saturday next than in any game this season. Neither of them belong here but everybody will go out to watch them play. There is intense rivalry between the clubs of the coal-mining districts, and not only between the teams but also between the citizens. On this account the most of them will be down to watch the game.

At the beginning of the season the Nanaimos were the favorites but later the Ladysmith men began to come to themselves and they now seem to show up as well as fast and furious. For the boys after having played all the season are in first rate fettle. It will take several special cars to carry the crowd down on Saturday, for it is expected that almost the whole city will be here.

TO CHANGE RULES.

Notice was given by C. G. Duncan at the meeting of the Victoria and District Football League that at the next general meeting he will move to abolish the age limit in the intermediate series, playing instead a first and second division similar to that on the Mainland. The resolution will not come up until the next general meeting in September, but it is well for players to consider the subject before that time, and to make up their minds what they want so that there will be no dissatisfaction afterwards. The meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. last night with Vice-President C. G. Duncan presiding. Officers were elected for the coming season as follows: Honorary president, C. G. Duncan; honorary vice-presidents, A. J. Brace and Captain Hughes; R. C. E. president, A. Lockley; vice-president, Sergeant-Major Warden; secretary-treasurer, not yet elected. E. Whyte acting pro tem.

The medals won during the past season were handed to C. G. Duncan to keep for his team until they are formally presented later.

The secretary-treasurer's report was read and adopted. The report reviewed the work of the past season and showed a balance on hand of \$255. The new president elect thanked the league for the honor done him, and promised to do his utmost to foster interest in the game and to make the next season's work successful. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring members for the excellent work done during the past year.

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the Y. M. C. A. has had the effect of making the young men of that institution interested in the art of rowing. The crew of the boat has been practicing regularly on Saturdays and the result is that they intend to enter a crew in the six-oar cutter contest which is always held in connection with the 24th of May regatta. Coxswain Lawrie has licked his crew into pretty good shape and they will make a good showing when the time comes.

The matter of rowing generally is being taken up by this institution. Should it be found possible to erect a new building on the waterfront there is no doubt but that the sport would receive a great impetus.

THE ROD.

DOUBLE CATCH.

A week ago when a couple of anglers were out trolling in Spanish Arm one of them got a strike which felt like a gristle. After playing the fish a short time the sportsman felt it pull rather heavy with a rod-like pull. He slowly hauled it in until when it came close he came to the conclusion that he had nothing but a bunch of weeds. Then a flash of silvery white caught his eye and he pulled it closer. What was his surprise then to find that his gristle which he had caught had been swallowed by an immense cod, which had taken him tail first and swallowed up to the gills. The cod got away but the gristle was landed.

There was about two inches of snow on the ground at Cowichan lake last week. The trout did not like the cold, so they refused to take the lure.

BASEBALL.

CHANGE IN RULES.

A most important change has been made this season in the baseball scoring rules, this providing for a sacrifice being credited to the batter, who, through a long fly, which is caught, scores a baserunner. Among the players the change is regarded as a just one. A man is on third base and a batter is sent to bat with instructions to "kill" the ball. He connects with one to the outfield and on the output the runner scores. The batting is as effective as it had been a sacrifice bunt.

There are any number of players who will appreciate the new rule. They are hard hitters, but are unlucky and usually fly out. By helping bring home a few runs during the season their batting average will be made to look much better.

GENERAL NOTES.

The route planned for the soccer Marathon race in Vancouver is from the National Sports Club to Hastings via Homer; thence to Cranville; along Granville to Ninth avenue; Ninth avenue to Westminster avenue; Westminster to Hastings, and back to the starting point via Cambie street. The distance will be in the neighborhood of five miles.

The students basketball team of the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. has practically decided to give the Shamrocks of Victoria a chance for the provincial championship.

When you drag yourself out of bed these mornings, feeling just about as badly as a human being can feel—that's "Spring Fever."

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no one present thought of taking the matter seriously. It was merely looked on as a cocktail before the dinner. It was, however, a poor cocktail and left a nasty taste in the mouth when the decision went to Mitchell on a supposed foul. McNamee as a referee, is decidedly worse than McNamee as a boxer. It was several seconds after Mitchell lay down carefully on the mat, that McNamee awoke and looked around for the cause. When he had been enlightened by Mitchell's seconds, he declared the match to Mitchell on a foul and everybody laughed.

The winner is known among his familiars by the nickname of "Cocky" and the following is the fight by rounds of which there were four:

Round 1. Cocky looked better with his hair cut, and chewed hard. Wilson took him seriously, and bounced about like a rubber ball.

Round 2. Cocky took refreshment at its close.

Round 3. The crowd asked them to box. Cocky fell down. Both rested from their exertions.

Round 4. And thankfully the last, else the crowd would have had an apoplexy from laughing. Cocky struck hard in the air several times, and Wilson still took him seriously. They wrestled, and Cocky manoeuvred against a body blow accidentally. He took five on his knees, and came up looking like anything but a boxer. Wilson delivered a blow when Cocky hesitated and then took up a permanent home on the floor. It was here that Mr. McNamee, after Cocky was comfortably settled in his new abode, inquired of the seconds what it was all about. They told him Cocky was out on a foul, not understanding the new residential idea, and McNamee so ordered.

TOOK FAREWELL.

Congregational Church Made Presentation to Mrs. Talbot and Daughter Last Night.

A very pleasant evening was spent last night by members and friends in the First Congregational church. The social was arranged by the church to tender a farewell to Mrs. Talbot and Miss Lily Talbot.

A short, bright programme was enjoyed, consisting of a violin and piano duet by the Misses Sylvester and Harrison, and recitation by Miss Holcomb and Mr. Ullmann. At the conclusion of the programme the church's regret in losing two of its most respected members was very feelingly expressed by Rev. H. A. Carson, pastor of the church.

The Ladies' Aid presented Mrs. Talbot with a handsome silver fruit dish and Miss Talbot received a beautiful brooch from the Young People's Society as a token of their deep appreciation and well wishes.

They leave for California early in May, where Mrs. Talbot will join her son. Both will have the very best wishes of their many friends in Victoria.

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MONEY STATUS OF NORTH VANCOUVER

New City Discusses Estimates
—By-Laws to Raise
\$25,000.

North Vancouver, April 7.—The subject of the city's finances came up at last night's meeting of the North Vancouver council.

During the past week a rumor has been circulating to the effect that the city was \$25,000 "in the hole" and Ald. May last evening called attention to this.

"I would like to say that the council knows nothing of such a deficiency," he declared, "and what gave rise to the rumor in my opinion is the fact that some time ago the city issued debentures and gave a 10 per cent discount and it is this discount which probably has been mistakenly regarded as a deficiency. The discount given in this way amounts to between \$20,000 and \$25,000."

Afterwards the council went into committee of the whole to discuss the estimates, and these include a money by-law to raise \$15,000 which partly covers the discount loss.

Ald. May also brought up a by-law to enable the city of North Vancouver to raise by way of a loan the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of paying off the city proportion of the debenture debt of the corporation of the district of North Vancouver incurred prior to the incorporation of the city. In connection with this it is interesting to note that the whole rateable property in North Vancouver according to the last assessment roll is valued at \$7,387,980, while the present debenture debt is \$162,200.

GAMBLING RAID.

New Westminster, April 7.—Ah Sing and Ah Jim, two alleged Chinese gambling dealers, were arrested in a den on Melness street last night by Chief McIntosh and his men. When the police entered the two dealers were quickly captured and the crowd of players melted away like snow before a tropical sun. The two men were liberated on \$30 bail each, and failed to appear this morning at court.

RESCUE DROWNING SWEDS.

Vancouver Yachtsman in Guise of Life Saver Near Deep Cove.

Vancouver, April 7.—W. J. Taaffe, the well known local yachtsman, was instrumental in saving the lives of two Swedes near Deep Cove on Sunday afternoon. With him on board, Mr. Taaffe went up the north arm of his motor boat Gypsy, and the boy went ashore in the dinghy to look for a site for their summer camp on a piece of recently acquired property.

Another gasoline launch put into the cove and anchored some distance out, and its three occupants started to go ashore in their dinghy. The little craft was overloaded with three men in it, and upset. Mr. Taaffe heard yells for help and at once slid his dinghy into the water and went to the rescue, accompanied by his son. One of the men struck out for the launch and managed to reach it, but the others could not swim and clung desperately to their dinghy. One was fast letting go when Mr. Taaffe grabbed him. The boat was too small to take in the men, so with the wornout one half-way over the stern and the other clinging to the side, they were towed to the launch.

Arriving there Mr. Taaffe found that the third man was unable to pull himself aboard. The other two had to be hauled up with ropes. None of the men could speak English well, but one of them managed to convey his gratitude to his rescuers.

MARRIAGE IN GRAND FORKS.

(Special Correspondence.)

Grand Forks, April 5.—Cupid was doing business in Grand Forks the past few days when on Thursday last at the home of the bride's parents Miss Nina Mahan and Mr. Norman McIntosh, both of this city, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Auvache in the presence of a few immediate friends of the contracting parties. The happy couple will reside in Grand Forks after spending a short honeymoon in Nelson and other outside cities.

VANCOUVER LUTHERANS.

Vancouver, April 7.—Rev. O. T. Just was installed as pastor of the German Lutheran church in this city on Sunday morning in the Fairview hall. Rev. M. L. Feeger, of Seattle, conducted the ceremony. Mr. Just will take up his residence at 1157 Fender street. He intends to organize a German school in connection with his church, and will hold Sunday school classes at 10 a. m. commencing from next Sunday. Morning services will be held at 11 o'clock. No evening service will be held at present, as Mr. Just has also under his care until a permanent pastor can be found. The local services will be held in the Fairview hall. The pastor, however, hopes shortly to be able to set a movement on foot to build a church.

"TORPEDO" PLEASURE LAUNCH.

New Westminster, April 6.—The Royal City, one time torpedo boat, now being fitted for a fast pleasure launch by Ald. Fader, will be launched from the ways on Lulu Island to-morrow and be brought to Schaeke's machine shops for the installation of new machinery, gasoline engine aggregating eight horse power, and operating three screws. The Royal City has been remodelled and painted, and it is expected that she will be the fastest vessel of her class on the coast.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.

New Westminster Organizes Body and Will Hold Monthly Meetings.

New Westminster, April 7.—A New Westminster Typographical union was organized on Saturday evening at a thoroughly representative meeting of the union printers of the city. The chair was occupied by R. P. Pettipiece, I. T. U. organizer for Western Canada. Officers of the local organization were elected as follows: President, W. H. Lewis; vice-president, R. A. Stoney; secretary-treasurer, E. E. Johnson; correspondent of the Typographical Journal, Leigh Netherby; sergeant-at-arms, H. R. H. McArthur. The executive will consist of the officers above named, as well as R. E. Monteith and another yet to be elected.

ALBERNI MINER

DIES SUDDENLY

J. J. Shaw Was Well Known
Figure on Island—Move-
ments at Townsite.

(Special Correspondence.)

Alberni, April 7.—J. J. Shaw, a well known mining man, died very suddenly on the 3rd inst. The deceased at different times worked various small mining properties on the Alberni canal. Recently the American company, by whom he was employed, had taken a bond on the DeLancey claims close to the "Happy John" group, and Mr. Shaw had been in charge of the development work. Various difficulties were encountered and on Friday last Mr. Shaw left the mine with the intention of proceeding to California to consult his associates as to what future steps should be taken.

Accompanied by M. Commerford and another man he started in a row boat. On the way deceased complained of feeling unwell and the party went ashore at Hiwachia. After obtaining a drink of water deceased staggered and fell, and shortly after breathed his last. His companions brought the body to Alberni. No inquest was held. The deceased was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and the lodge of which he was a member made all necessary arrangements for the funeral, which took place from the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 3 p. m.

BUYS FARMING PROPERTY.

George W. Grant, J. P. of Ucluelet, and James Fraser, of the same place, have purchased two five acre blocks on the Compton farm, subdivided for sale by J. R. Motion, at a price of \$50 per acre.

MOTORING SEASON OPENS.

The motor car season has again commenced. The Thompson car from Nanaimo has been several times over the road, and G. Clarke brought his Red Humber in last week, and is prepared to make frequent trips. They report the roads as being in good condition for motoring. Dr. J. A. Pybus has also imported a run-about car for his own use.

TO FEED INHABITANTS.

J. Redford, butcher, arrived in town on Saturday with a car load of cattle which he had brought over the road from Nanaimo. The animals appeared tired with their long walk, but in fine condition.

OTHER DOINGS.

Painting is the order of the day in Alberni, W. Ash having made contracts which will keep his staff busy for several weeks. A little expenditure in this line would greatly enhance the general appearance of the town.

The many friends of J. R. McLaren are pleased to hear him about again, though still an invalid after his sharp attack of illness.

The authorities have definitely shut down on Indians cutting logs for sale to sawmills either on Indian reserves or on government lands, and some dissatisfaction exists among the aborigines in consequence.

"QUEEN OF THE MAY."

New Westminster, April 7.—The May Queen committee of the May Day celebration have selected Daisy Dawe, Ruby Fletcher, Kathleen Jones, Irene Meade, Beryl Smith and Dorothy Vidal as the contestants for the honor, and the queen will be elected from among the above six by the school children.

IN MEMORIAM.

Vancouver, April 7.—The death occurred yesterday of Captain John the eleven year old son of Captain H. Newcomb, of the D. G. S. Keastel. The little boy was a lovely little chap. He had been sick ever since December, and much sympathy is extended to the captain and his wife in their sad bereavement.

12,000 IN ROYAL CITY.

New Westminster, April 7.—It is the belief of those interested in the taking of the annual census of this city that this year's figures will far exceed last year, and that the population of the city will be close to twelve thousand.

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SCENIC BRIDGE TO SPAN FIRST NARROWS

Structure, Crowned by Tower,
Will Be of Unique
Character.

Vancouver, April 7.—Plans will be presented for consideration by the board of park commissioners to-morrow evening for a scenic bridge to be erected across the First Narrows. The structure will be an unique one, both from a structural standpoint and from the view of the tourist and pleasure-seeker, in whose interest the bridge is particularly designed. The Burrard Bridge Company is making the application, which will to-morrow evening be discussed by the park board.

The structural feature of the bridge is a tower 222 feet in height to be erected on the north side of the Narrows. The top of this tower will be on a level with the top of a much smaller tower to be erected on Prospect point. The smaller tower will be only thirty feet in height, and it is for permission to erect this that the application will to-morrow evening come before the board.

The distance between the towers is 1,200 feet—almost a quarter of a mile. Cables will connect the towers. The plans provide for a "sag" of the cables, for it would be impossible to hold them absolutely tight, even if they were put up that way. The drop is, of course, most marked in the centre, where the floor of the bridge will be 65 feet below the level of a straight line between the towers. Even then the cables are one hundred and fifty feet above high water mark—well out of the way of the tops of the masts of the largest steamers.

The tower on the north side is fifty feet in diameter at its base. A passenger elevator will be operated inside the tower. Apparently great pains have been taken in the anchoring of the higher tower, for cables connecting with those forming the bridge are shown as running for a thousand feet further to the north, and are to be anchored in the rock of the high ground beyond the Capilano Falls.

The bridge will of course be directly in the view of every person who comes to the city by steamer.

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE.

Aged Man of Nanaimo Townsite May Have Met With Foul Play.

(Special Correspondence.)

Grand Forks, April 5.—Where is R. D. Jones, of Nanaimo townsite, is what is now being asked by the many acquaintances of the old man in these parts. Mr. Jones, who is an aged man, sold his ranch of 240 acres on the north fork of Kettle river a few days ago for a snug cash sum, and immediately after getting his cash suddenly disappeared. It is known that the old man had in the neighborhood of \$1,500 with him.

His cabin on his old ranch is just as he left it, his clothes and other belongings being just as he had left them. Whether the old man took the train immediately after getting his cash and has left the country, or whether he has met with foul play remains a mystery.

MINING ATTRACTION.

Engineer Will Have Mine at Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exhibition.

J. P. Hughes, M. E., has secured a concession by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition for the War Eagle mine. The estimated cost of the attraction is \$75,000. A shaft 93 feet will be sunk on the property to a depth of seventy-five feet. At this point a station will be cut connecting with a network of crosscuts, stopes and upraises, terminating with a tunnel exit.

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WING ON & SON—Yards, etc., cleaned. Office, 530 Cormorant St. Phone B1132.

Second-Hand Goods

WANTED—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes, trunks, valises, shot guns, revolvers, overcoats, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 40 Johnson street, two doors below Government street.

WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, zinc, lead, cast iron, sacks, and all kinds of bottles and junk. Highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1620 Store street. Phone 1334.

MISFIT and second-hand clothing bought and sold. "Lash's" Cleaning, Tailoring and Repairing Co., 84 View street. Phone A-1207.

Stump Pulling

TO FARMERS—The Stump Puller recently patented and made in Victoria, more powerful than any other ever made, catches from one to twenty stumps in one pull. Most surprising to all who have seen it work. It is just what a farmer and contractor needs. Will clear up a radius of 300 feet round without tiring. Can be removed with ease in thirty minutes. It doesn't matter whether your land is billy or covered with green or old stumps. These having land to clear should have one of these. Apply 466 Burnside Road.

Teaming

TRIMBLE & SON, general teaming, hauling and excavating, 11 Patten street. Phone A1288.

To Users of Metal Polish

USE THE ACME. It's the brightest, lasts longer, cleans faster than any imported. Try it. A free sample at Fletcher's Music Store.

Truck and Dray

TRUCKING—Quick service, reasonable charges. J. W. H. Jones, 500 Yates street. VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO., Telephone 13, Stable Phone 31.

Watch Repairing

A. PETCH, 39 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairs. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

Agents Wanted

MEN WANTED—In every locality in Canada to advertise our goods. Lack up showcards in all conspicuous places and distribute small advertising matter. Commission of salary, 50c per month and expenses \$1 per day. Steady work the year round; entirely new plan; no experience required. Write for particulars. Wm. R. Warner Med. Co., London, Ont., Canada.

Dry Goods

JUST ARRIVED—Scarves, neckwear, white and millinery, complete. Cor. Cook and North Park street.

Farm to Rent

TO RENT—Farm, 125 acres, 40 cleared, good house and outbuildings. Apply J. Heaney, Wharf street.

Help Wanted—Male

MACHINIST and Engineer's table of U. S. standard steam, gas, water pipes and tapping sizes, 10 cents per copy. Shop agents wanted. E. E. Meyer, Alhambra, Pa.

WANTED—A good boy, about 15 years old, at once. Apply Adams, stationer, 625 Yates street.

WANTED—Middle-aged man with knowledge of accounts and willing to make himself useful for night clerk in city hotel. Apply in own handwriting, stating age and full particulars. Box 534, Times Office.

WANTED—Strong boy as helper in stereotyping department. Apply between 3 and 5, Friday, at Times Office.

Houses to Rent

SMALL COTTAGE TO RENT—Built young couple; will sell contents cheap. Apply Box 285, Times Office.

TO RENT—Modern house, in good locality, close in, 7 rooms; gas stove, 3 carpets, linoleum and blinds for sale to tenant. Apply 665 Fort street.

TO LET—Furnished cottage, modern conveniences. 702 Vancouver street.

TO RENT—Thoroughly modern 8 room house, on car line, partially furnished, immediate possession. Bond & Clark, 614 Tronco Ave.

TO RENT—For six months or longer, a well furnished six roomed house, with bathroom and greenhouse, heated with hot water, modern in every particular, table board given; terms moderate. Pandora Ave., or Phone B307.

TO LET—Two seven roomed furnished cottages, on Dallas road; bath, hot and cold water, electric light, and other modern conveniences. Apply Mrs. M. R. Smith, Seaview, 204 Dallas road, Phone A94 or 1264.

Houses for Sale

SIX ROOM HOUSE—On Cook street, near Fort, electric light, hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences, price \$3,500. Reid & Maymirth, Mahon Bldg.

\$1,400 FOR A COTTAGE close to Oak Bay avenue, 4 rooms, chicken house, full sized lot, cottage newly painted and repaired, rent for \$15 terms, \$400 cash. McConnell & Taylor, cor. Government and Fort streets, upstairs.

FOR SALE—A new modern cottage of 4 rooms, bath, pantry and large basement, situated on Victoria West, apply T. Fairhurst, 822 Farquhar street.

\$400 BUYS the finest new 6 roomed bungalow on two lots in Victoria West, all modern, good terms. J. W. Gidley, 201 Mary street.

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR SALE—Five rooms, pleasant corner lot, near car; a snap. Owners, Box 82, city.

A SNAP—House, 4 rooms, large stable, carpenter shop, 15x45, lot 60x120, centrally located, price \$2,500; apply 1113 Government street, Room 5.

FOR SALE—Five roomed house, furnished, on two large lots in Victoria West, barn, close to car. Apply to Owner, 466 Burnside road; easy terms.

A BEAUTIFUL HOME for sale cheap and on exceptionally easy terms; situated amid rural surroundings on one of the most desirable residential streets of the city; house contains 11 rooms and is thoroughly well built; grounds include fine lawn with handsome shrubbery and garden with 21 fruit trees in good bearing. Apply 1242 Belmont ave.

FOR SALE—A snap, 4 roomed cottage, in splendid condition, beautiful garden and full sized lot, \$600 cash and balance on terms to suit. Apply 943 View street.

Lots for Sale

FIVE ACRES—On Glenford avenue, all under cultivation, four miles from City Hall, price \$1,800. Reid & Maymirth, Mahon Bldg.

FOR SALE—Lots 5, 6, 7 Monterey Ave., near Maddock's Lawn. Apply 465, Belleville.

FOR SALE—1 corner lot on Prior street, a snap at \$400 cash. Reid & Maymirth, Mahon Building.

FOR BUILDING ON THIS SUMMER—Lot, free from rock and otherwise suitable, 1/4 mile from City Hall, snap, \$300 spot cash. M. E. C., Box 174, Post Office.

FOR SALE—Government and Niagara, best stand for grocery in city, store 26x52; also 6 roomed modern cottage; a snap. C. H. Revercomb & Co., 613 Tronco Ave.

PLANS OF SUBDIVISIONS for use on advertising streets or in business parks, quickly and cheaply executed. B. C. Engraving Co., Times Building, Victoria.

3 ACRES—Beautifully situated land, just outside city limits, city water convenient, all residential situation, good fruit or chicken raising, \$1,200 per acre, easy terms; 4 acres similar land adjoining, \$1,000 per acre, easy terms; immediate lease. Petherston, 1113 Hillside avenue.

SIDNEY—Owner wishes to sell 10 acres good land, all cleared, fenced with wire, 1/2 mile from Sidney station, 1/2 mile from school, cheap for immediate sale. Apply Box 48, P. O., Victoria.

Miscellaneous

NOW IS THE TIME to plant Knight's beautiful clematis and dahlias; all grow in pots and sure to grow when planted in the ground; catalogue free. Mt. Tolmie Nursery, Victoria.

THE LATEST sheet metal electric signs. J. Market, market, Victoria, B. C. KNIGHT'S Hardy Cabbage Plants, 50c per 100; \$2.00 per 200; \$3.00 per 300; \$4.00 per 400; \$5.00 per 500; \$6.00 per 600; \$7.00 per 700; \$8.00 per 800; \$9.00 per 900; \$10.00 per 1,000. Catalogue of nursery stock free.

Miscellaneous Goods for Sale

FOR SALE—Lathes, in good order. Inquire of Harris & Smith, Broad street.

BICYCLE FOR SALE—Gent's Singer, in good order, free wheel and rim brakes. Plimley Auto Co., cycle department, 313 Government St., opposite P. O.

HORSES FOR SALE—Apply Box 286, Times Office.

FOR SALE—A 20-foot launch hull. Phone A1446.

LADY'S BICYCLE FOR SALE—Cheap. 729 Flagstaff street, city.

FOR SALE—Old manure and black soil. J. Richards, cor. Cook street and Queen's avenue.

FOR SALE—A few new buggies, latest style, second-hand buggies, wagons and carts, two good fresh calved cows; also all kinds of horses. Apply at I. J. J. Fisher's Carriage shop, 56 Discovery street.

FOR SALE—Small brougham, with pole and shafts. Apply Coachman, Fernwood, Cadboro Bay road.

SLAB WOOD FOR SALE—Mill slabs cut into short lengths at \$3.00 per cord delivered to any part of city. G. F. Graham Lumber Co., Ltd., Phone No. 864. Orders also taken at John Bros. Store.

FOR SALE—Accordions, \$2.75; set of engineering books, \$1.50; Winchester rifle, \$4 cal., \$2.50; camera, \$1.50; roller skates, \$2; baby buggy, \$1.50; axe handles, 10c each; large assortment of hinges very cheap. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 56 Johnson street, four doors below Government.

Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN—Small or large amounts on first mortgage improved property, at lowest current rates. E. A. B. Bagshawe, 613 Fort street.

\$1,200 TO LEND on good security. Apply J. Peirson, 4214 Government street.

Personal

WILL WM. O'LEARY, miller, please communicate with Wm. Thompson, Thoburn P. O. There is a message from John A. Fraser for him.

I HAVE MUCH PLEASURE in thanking Mr. Gus Porter for his honesty in returning me my money, and hope that others will take an example from him. John Adams.

Property for Sale

FOR SALE OR RENT—1/4 acres of land and substantial brick building with cement floors, situated on Carey road, and lately occupied by the Victoria Creamery Association; also 15-h. p. boiler and 10-h. p. engine in first-class condition, for sale. Apply A. G. Shelling, Victoria Creamery, Johnson St., Victoria.

TIMBER—Before buying or selling timber in B. C. call and see my list, comprising more than 100 of the best properties, aggregating a total of twenty-five million (25,000,000) feet. A. T. Frampton, Mahon Bldg., Victoria, Phone 1648.

FARM FOR SALE—18 acres, all good land, 20 acres cleared, 40 fruit trees, good barn, outbuilding, furnished cottage of 5 rooms, horse and light wagon, farming implements, head of cattle, chickens, geese; this is a bargain at \$4,500. Inquire No. 100 Fort street.

Everybody Wants Something.

If You Want THAT SOMETHING ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES.

GOES INTO THE HOMES OF LIBERALS AND CONSERVATIVES.

Use The Times for Wants, For Sales, To Let—1c per word, Daily or Semi-Weekly. Six insertions for price of four. PHONE 1090.

Property Wanted

LAND WANTED—Wanted, to lease, or go in partnership with parties owning land suitable for the raising of early potatoes. Apply J. Hepburn, 535 Yates street.

Stock and Poultry

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and express wagon, in first-class condition, \$125; must be sold at once. Box 238, Times.

WILL SELL team of Shetland ponies and outfit, or trade for quiet driver. C. W. Blackstock & Co.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, from prize stock, Black Minorca, Blue Orpingtons and Plymouth Rocks, \$2.00 for 100. Great A. Knight Mount Tolmie.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, B. C. Buff Leghorns, Blue Orpingtons, Barred Plymouth Rocks; eggs, \$1.50 per 15; \$2 per 100. Great A. Knight Mount Tolmie.

FOR SALE—White Plymouth Rock, Fish stock, Eggs and stock from prize winners. Mrs. Griffin, Snowview Poultry Yards, Maywood P. O.

Situations Wanted—Female

EXPERIENCED, trained maternity nurse, English, open for engagements. Address Nurse Sparkes, 229 Pioneer St.

Experienced English woman wishes housekeeper's position. Address Box 213 Times office.

HEISTERMAN & CO.

1207 Government Street.

OWN YOUR OWN HOME.

THREE GOOD BUYS.

\$100—FIRST STREET, FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, in first-class repair, with lot 50x150, and modern conveniences, easy terms if required; the best buy in town at the price.

\$300—NEW MODERN BUNGALOW, on LABOUCHERE STREET, adjoining lots sold at \$1,500 each, will make a dainty little home for a small family; easy terms if required.

\$2,000—COMFORTABLE SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, on BATTERY STREET, with magnificent view of the Straits and mountains, in good repair, and a bargain at the price; easy terms.

J. STUART YATES

22 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA.

FOR SALE.

80 ACRES—Booke District, just inside Sooke Harbor.

PINE SEA FRONTAGE—At Esquimalt, about three acres, cheap.

TWO LOTS—On Victoria harbor, with large wharf and sheds and 3 large warehouses, in good condition, on easy terms.

THREE LOTS—On Yates street, with 10 stores, bringing in good rentals.

TO RENT—Large wharf, at foot of Yates street, rent \$120 per month.

5 1/2 ACRES—On Colquitz river, Victoria District, cheap.

For further particulars apply to above address.

Rooms and Board

TO LET—May first,

We Make it Both-- Pleasurable and Profitable

For you to do your buying here, and our reliable delivery system brings your purchases at the time you want them. You'll find it good to get your groceries here, where you take no risks. We would itemize:

PRESERVED FRUITS

DEL MONTE CANNED FRUITS, per tin 25c.
WAGSTAFF'S BOTTLED FRUITS, per jar 25c.
C. & B. BOTTLED FRUITS, each 75c.
EARL'S DUC WHITE AND RED CURRANT, per jar 75c.
GUAVA JELLY, per jar 25c.
MARRONS IN SYRUP, per bottle \$1.00
CHERRIES IN MARRASQUIN, per bottle 50c. 50c and \$1.00
CHICKEN TAMALES, the famous B. & M. make, "The Best Ever," so say our friends, each 25c.

DIXIE H. ROSS & CO.

UP-TO-DATE GROCERS, 1316 GOVERNMENT ST.
Tele. 52, 1052 and 1590.

Auction Sale

at
STODDART'S
Jewellery
Store

Continues on
SATURDAY,
APRIL 11th

NO RESERVE!

Messrs. Williams & Janion
AUCTIONEERS

Maynard & Son
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by the Trustees of the Victoria
Tie and Timber Co., we will sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION
At Our Salerooms, Broad Street, on
Friday, at 2 p. m.

About 500 Sheets of Corrugated Iron
Roofing, 500 Feet Gal. Iron Pipe, Three
Large Size Heavy Duck Tents, 4 Camp
Beds, 2 Dominion Spring Camp Beds, 6
Hole Majestic Steel Range, 3 Barrels
Cooking Utensils, 20 Cases of Provisions,
2 Heaters, 1 Bureau Meat Safe, 3 Top
Mattresses, Set of Harness.

ALSO AT THE SAME TIME,
Furniture and Effects
Carpets, Etc.

MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers

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FORTHCOMING SALES
FURNITURE

AT MISS HYNES
75 MENZIES ST.
2 p. m.
TUESDAY, APRIL 14th

FURNITURE
At C. H. ARUNDELL, ESQ.
950 ST. CHARLES ST.

—ON—
THURSDAY, April 23rd
Particulars later.

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams

TO THE THRIFTY BUYER

We are offering some exceptional Bar-
gains in General House Furnishings. Get
our prices first.

We are open to buy for spot cash.
WANTED—Some good second-hand
cook-stoves. Highest prices paid.

W. C. KERR, 710 Yates St.
Est. 1886 2 Doors Above Douglas.

—This evening the British Campaign-
ers' Association will meet at the city
hall, when applications for member-
ship will be received and general busi-
ness of the association transacted.

BETTER THAN GOLD--WHY?

Gold Attracts the Burglar
YALE LATCHES AND PADLOCKS
Resist the midnight intruder
Full line of these goods kept in stock
EFFICIENT PROTECTION AT A SMALL COST
B. C. HARDWARE CO.
Phone 82. COR. YATES AND BROAD STS. P.O. Box 683

Special Lenten Offering

FRENCH FISH PASTE

An appetizing and most delicious Bargain. Per tin, only 15c.
All Sardines may look alike to some people, but sagacious ones select these
good brands:
SELECTED TREFAVENNE 25c.
SARDINES, large tin 25c.
ALBERT SARDINES, per tin 25c.
BASSETT SARDINES, per tin 25c.
GENDARNS SARDINES, per
tin 25c.

VEGETABLES FRESH DAILY

A fine supply of Asparagus, Tomatoes, Green Peas, New Potatoes, Rhubarb, etc.

The West End Grocery Co. Ltd.

42 Government St. Phone 88.

SUGAR WHITE GRANULATED SUGAR

90 lbs. for \$1.20; 100 lbs. for \$1.25
HUNGARIAN FLOUR, free delivery, per sack \$1.75

Sylvester's Feed Company, - 709 Yates Street.

Going to Paint?

Then use

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT
MADE TO PAINT BUILDINGS WITH OUTSIDE AND INSIDE

and you'll get satisfaction.
It's the best protection
you can give your house.
It's made from pure white
lead, pure zinc white, and pure
linseed oil.
It does not powder, flake off
or crack.
It forms a tough, durable film
that wears and looks well for the
longest time.
It's colors are clear, bright and
lasting.
It costs less by the job than any
other paint made.
The full color card shows 48
handsome shades. S. W. P. is
put up full measure, always.

MADE BY

PETER McQUADE & SON

1214 (78) Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.

A YOUNG ENGLISH NOBLEMAN ON TOUR

Sir Robert Walker, Who is
Making a Trip Around the
World, Was Here.

Among the passengers on the Can-
adian-Australian liner Marama, which
arrived at the outer wharf at five
o'clock last night, was Sir Robert
Walker, an English baronet with es-
tates at Sand Hutton, Yorkshire. The
baronet is about 38 years of age, and
is accompanied by Herbert Stewart
and three other companions. Upon the
Marama coming alongside the party,
which has been over three months
away from England, and was conse-
quently not present at either the boat
race or the Grand National, directed
their first enquiries in those directions,
and expressed great satisfaction on
hearing that Cambridge arrived two
lengths ahead of Oxford, as the youth-
ful baronet is to enter Trinity college,
Cambridge, on his return to England.
Many of the Englishmen aboard the
vessel were surprised to hear of
Rubio's victory in the Grand National,
and still more so of the retirement of
Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman.
The baronet, accompanied by Mr.
Stewart, is making a trip around the
world between the times of leaving
Eton and entering Cambridge. He
started via Suez for Australia, and is
due to leave New York by May 2nd.
The party will make a quick run to
New York where they will remain
until the time of their sailing date for
Liverpool.

DISTINGUISHED FRENCH GENERAL ARRIVED

Prominent Military Man Reach-
ed Here on the Australian
Steamship.

On his way around the world, filling in
four months' leave of absence in plea-
surable travelling, the distinguished Gen-
eral de Negrier, one of the most promi-
nent military men in France, arrived from
Australia on the Canadian-Australian
liner Marama last evening. He left this
morning on the Sound boat to continue his
journey, which will be by way of Los
Angeles and the Colorado canyon route
to New York, from which port he will
embark for home.
The General had little to say of his visit

Prescription Economy

Does not mean to buy medi-
cines where you can get
them the cheapest—unless
you can be sure of absolute
purity, freshness and medi-
cinal activity.

Bring your prescription to
us and know that you will
get the best and not pay
too much for it, either. This
is

PRESCRIPTION ECONOMY

**JOHN
COCHRANE**
Prescription Druggist
N. W. Cor
Yates and Douglas Sts.



A Good Cook

Needs a good
cooking appar-
atus and she should
insist upon hav-
ing one—the best
is none too good
for the economical
housewife.

What expert cooks say regarding it is the best advertisement
for the

Canada National Steel Range

the most simple, the heaviest, most durable and best construct-
ed Steel Range on the market. The lady in this illustration is
broiling a steak in the most hygienic manner. Call here and let
us show you how easily this is done, so simple that it is pat-
ented by the manufacturers of this range. Prices according to
size, \$37.75 to \$65.00. Cook stoves, \$17.00 and \$24.50. Stoves
that are made for service and give every satisfaction.

DRAKE & HORN

608 Yates St. Hardware Merchants, Cor. Govt. St.

Edward's popularity in France. He was
pleased to find that he had met His
Majesty and also the Duke of Connaught,
whom the General has been associated
with at several military events, and of
whom he holds a very high opinion.
General de Negrier served in the Franco-
Prussian war, and has seen, during his
long military career, a great deal of ac-
tive service. He served in Algeria, and
was in command of the French troops in
the Indo-China war of 1886. His military
brochures are famous.
He retired from the command of five
army corps a few years ago and is now
on half-pay.

—The quarterly general meeting of
the board of trade will be held at 3
o'clock in the afternoon, on Friday
next. The business will include the
following subjects: Report of council
re placing a duty on lumber from the
United States; proposal to make the
coasting laws operative in these
waters; application of the Y. M. C. A.
for a grant from the city for building
purposes; request to endorse resolu-
tion urging Dominion government to
continue payment of bounty on lead,
and such matters as may be referred
by the council.

Easter Footwear

Buy Your EASTER SHOES at MUNDAY'S

**WE HAVE THE LATEST STYLES
IN LADIES' AND MEN'S FINE BOOTS AND SHOES**

See the latest conceits in LADIES' FINE FOOTWEAR, just arrived from
Boston. These are very smart-looking and keep their shape to the last.
Prices range from..... \$3.00 to \$6.00

See our LADIES' PATENT OXFORDS, new Varsity last, with red onyx tops.
Mackay welt soles, for..... \$3.50

LADIES' PATENT BLUCHER BALS., latest style, double soles, military
heels \$3.50

LADIES' CHOCOLATE OXFORDS, Mackay felt soles, military heels, \$3.00

LADIES' DONGOLA BLUCHER OXFORDS, patent self tips, sold every-
where for \$2.50. Munday's price..... \$1.75



FOR THE MEN:

We have been especially fortunate in se-
curing the sole agency for the renowned
BARNES SHOE, known the world over as
being one of the most reliable of American
makes.

These shoes are made in Vici Kid, Gun
Metal, Calf and Patent Colt.

A large shipment of these Shoes has just ar-
rived and are sold at \$5.50 and \$6.00 Bench
made, \$7.00 and \$7.50.

See our MEN'S VICI KID BALS, with fancy cloth tops, per pair..... \$3.50
MEN'S PATENT BLUCHER BALS, tan, kid top \$5
MEN'S DONGOLA KID LACE BOOTS, double soles. Munday's price \$2.00

REMEMBER THE PLACE

MUNDAY'S
Victoria's Popular Shoe Store
89 GOVERNMENT STREET.

1908 Go-Carts



FOLDING GO-CART

No. K. 31—Body is steel and
hard wood, varnished. Gear is all
steel; four 10-in. rubber tire
wheels, patent wheel fastener.
Dark green enamel finish.
PRICE \$3.75.



RECLINING GO-CART

No. K. 1, U. & P.—Body is reed,
varnished, sides upholstered, has
mattress cushion, lace parasol.
Gear is all steel, four 16-in.
rubber tire wheels, Whitney pat-
ent anti-friction wheel fastener
and foot brake. Green enamel
finish.
PRICE \$14.00.



RECLINING GO-CART

No. K. 1, U. & P.—Body is
reed, varnished; sides upholster-
ed; has mattress cushion, lace
parasol. Gear is all steel, four
16-in. rubber tire wheels.
Whitney patent anti-friction
wheel fastener and foot brake.
Carmine enamel finish.
PRICE \$18.00.



RECLINING FOLDING GO- CART.

No. K. 67, U. & P.—Body is
reed, varnished; sides upholster-
ed; has mattress cushion; lace
parasol. Gear is all steel; four
12-in. rubber tire wheels; patent
wheel fastener; foot brake. Pat-
ent folding cross reach. Dark
green enamel finish. Enamelled
push bar.
PRICE \$22.50.



RECLINING FOLDING GO- CART.

No. K. 12, U. & P.—Body is
reed, varnished; sides upholster-
ed; has mattress cushion;
lace parasol. Gear is all steel;
four 12 1/2-in. rubber tire
wheels, patent wheel fastener,
foot brake; patent folding cross
reach. Dark green enamel fin-
ish. Enamelled push bar.
PRICE \$25.00.

WEILER BROS
VICTORIA, B. C.